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3 ROCKVIEW CONVICTS SKIP OUT IN ONE DAY

Second Experience for Prisoner Caught at Potters Mills.

ESCAPED ONCE BEFORE

Two additional escapes from Rockview were reported last Sunday, indicating that the prison has not fully recovered from the more or less demoralized condition there resulting from the introduction of the Stutzman system of so-called self-government for convicts.

On Monday a third convict, John Winters, serving 4 to 7 years sentence received in Fayette County, attempted to escape, but was re-captured before he got off the prison grounds. In some manner the noon check-up was wrongly made and it was thought for a short time two others also had made their escape, but a re-check straightened matters out and established the fact that only the two who escaped on Sunday were actually at large.

The two convicts who took "French leave" were John Meyers, aged 25 years, and Harry D. Brubaker, 39 years old, both of Lewistown. Both were listed as "trusties." They are the first to escape since the day, a month or so ago, when eight prisoners walked off. Since that day State policemen have been in charge of enforcement of discipline, but the squad has been gradually reduced until it now numbers only four or five.

Meyers and Brubaker were engaged in working at the prison barns. Between 3 and 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon they disappeared, and were checked off as missing some time later in the day.

Meyers' escape marks the second he has figured in recently. Only a short time ago he disappeared. About the time prison officials were flashing his description to nearby points, Meyers phoned into Rockview from State College, saying where he was and asking that guards come and get him. He blandly explained that he had become "lost," and had eventually drifted into State College. His explanation was accepted, because of his good record and particularly since he was a short term man. This rather fantastic explanation was recalled when he made his second get-a way.

Meyers was picked up near Potters Mills on Wednesday. Brubaker, who was with him, ran from the road into the woods, and Rockview guards were unable to find him.

One important development, resulting from the Rockview situation, is the announced determination to have the next Legislature repeal the Ludlow law. This measure effectually ties the hands of Judges in sentencing convicted persons, for the law specifically states that the minimum term shall not be greater than one-half the maximum. Other laws fix the terms of imprisonment for various offenses. The Ludlow law has served to cripple the Courts in every county in the State. It has taken from all Judges the power to use discretion and sentence convicted persons in keeping with the gravity of their crimes. The Ludlow law has been scathingly criticised by Judge Quigley, in the Centre County Courts, as well as by Judge McDevitt, of Philadelphis, and a score or more additional Judges throughout the State.

Possibly nowhere else in Pennsylvania has the Ludlow law placed a greater premium upon crime than at Rockview prison. It has done much to encourage convicts to escape, because they know that they cannot be dealt with harshly if re-captured. Before the enactment of the Ludlow law, a Rockview convict who escaped and was re-captured knew before escaping that he would be sentenced to a new term equal to his original one, and that no Judge could interfere even if he might want to. In other words, the law was mandatory, the Courts being given no discretion. In a very few instances the law may have worked a hardship, but if so, such cases were extremely rare. On the other hand, convicts knew what to expect if they escaped, and hence comparatively few took a chance. Under the present Ludlow law, however, Rockview convicts know only too well that if they escape and are caught, and unless in originally for long terms, that no severe penalty awaits them. For instance, a convict in for two years, knows that if he is re-captured after escaping he will get off with a new term of not more than one to two years, at the worst.

The Ludlow law is a part of the general plan of a coterie at Harrisburg to make prisons more attractive for prisoners. Self-government, the so called honor system, committees of prisoners

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WOMAN SENTENCED

Mrs. Beals, Julian Bootlegger, Given Three Months in Jail.

At a special session of Court last Saturday morning, another of the Julian moon-shiners received a heavy sentence. During the previous week Hale and Burns received 6 months each in the county jail, and on Saturday Mrs. Marcella Beals, alleged to be one of the most flagrant violators of the liquor laws, was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of $500 and to serve 3 months in the county jail.

William Kutz, of Philipsburg, charged a year ago with the violation of the dry laws, pleaded guilty, and the Court suspended sentence. This time he was haled into Court, pleading guilty on three separate counts. According to witnesses he got drunk and severely beat his 83 year old mother. He was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $1, and to serve one year in the county jail.

George Long, arrested by State policeman Jesse King, charged with the sale of intoxicating liquor, received a suspended sentence upon his agreeing to take the witness stand against his partner, Theodore Taylor, who was arrested at the same time and refused to plead guilty. At the time of their arrest the two were taking liquor to the Granger picnic, in Long's car, which was being driven by Taylor. There were 3 quarts and 5 pints of liquor found in the car.

A nolle pros was issued in the case of Ira Gill, charged with defrauding a woman near Port Matilda of a board bill amounting to $20. Gill made restitution to her and paid the costs.

Several other bases, upon request by various attorneys, were continued until the next term.

U. B. APPOINTMENTS

Ministers Assigned Charges by Greensburg Conference.

At the 86th annual convention of the Allegheny conference of the United Brethren church, which concluded its sessions at Greensburg last Sunday, appointments of ministers included the following:

Dr. J. S. Fulton, of Johnstown, was reappointed conference superintendent. Altoona—First, F. F. Brungard; Second, John Watson; Third, E. E. Otmston; Arona, G. A. Sparks; Beaverdale, J. C. Rupp; Beaver Falls, G. G. White; Bellefonte, J. W. Mills; Bellwood, C. H. Rhodes; Belsano, C. W. Gwynn; Bigler, W. R. McKinney; Central City, W. G. Hawk; Clearfield, G. R. Alban; Coalport, G. E. Householder; Houserville, G. O. Beff; Huntingdon, G. E. Smith; Hustontown, A. L. Barnett; Juniata, A. B. Sprague; Orbisonia, A. D. Thompson; Philipsburg, E. A. Sharp; Port Matilda LeRoy Culp; Punxsutawney, W L. Murray; Tyrone, C. W. Winey; Wall, A. J. Orlidge; West Decatur, J. H. Weaver; Williamsport, R. H. Arndt; Windber, D. W. Willard; Woodland, M. S. Bitner.

The following district leaders were named: Pittsburg, W. V. Barnhart; Greensburg, T. W. Burgess; Johnstown, W. G. Fulton; Altoona, G. F. Brungard; Tyrone, C. W. Winey; Eastern, J. S. Colledge.

A gain of 590 members was shown in the Allegheny conference report, making a total of 29,143 members. The gain in the Sunday schools was 1,825, making a total membership of 36,436.

Team Tumbled Over Bank.

On Tuesday afternoon a 2-horse team belonging to the Centre County Fuel & Building Supply Co., together with a wagon load of coal, tumbled down the embankment on East Howard St., nearby the Edwarn Eckenroth home. The men driving the wagon were endeavoring to get to the Eckenroth house to put in coal and had come down through the vacant lot which adjoins above mentioned property. The edge of the embankment gave way and team, driver and wagon skidded to the sidewalk 25 or 30 feet below. The wagon was smashed to kindling wood, but in some miraculous manner the horses and driver escaped injury.

reporting on the quality of the cooking, etc., are other features of the kind of management advocated by the group in charge of Pennsylvania prisons during the last two years. During this period there have been more uprisings, riots, escapes and attempts at escapes than ever known before in a like period in Pennsylvania. It is a foregone conclusion that the whole subject will occupy a conspicuous place in the proceedings of the Legislature which convenes in January. In fact, it is predicted that the subject of prison management will be fully as conspicuous as will Governor's Pinchot's so called law enfosement measures. The latter include, it is stated, a search and seizure bill more drastic than any heretofore contemplated.

Forest Fires and Their Various Causes

(Article No. 3)

The time is hoped for when all forest fires caused by the hand of man will have ceased. However, so long as forest fires occur man must stand firm and resolute in his convictions that they must be extinguished as quickly as posaible.

A forest fire in its infancy is not difficult to extinguish. On the other hand let a headway be gained, and a stiff breeze is fanning it, then the task becomes difficult and dangerous.

The time has come when in the Penn Forest District an incendiary fire is almost unheard of. Impressive teaching and successful management of the forests is bearing fruit. Great strides have been made toward making the State forests a resting place for man. Man is becoming educated to the point where he is not going to destroy that resting place.

Forest fires, of course, are set by careless hunters, careless fishermen, and careless tourists. This is because of the fact that their mind is centered too strongly upon the sport they are pursuing, and not enough upon the thing that gives it to them.

Railroads in the Penn Forest District are the chief source of the Forest Fire problem. Of the 19 fires during the spring of 1924 in the Penn District 15 were caused by railroads. Splendid co operation, however, is being received in clearing up rights-of-way, in keeping locomotives well spark-screened, and in helping extinguish fires caused by them.

Brush burners have in the past been responsible for many severe forest fires. Igniting brush in a dry, grassy field adjoining forest land is a mighty dangerous and often times an expensive thing to do, if there is a possibility of wind fanning it into the forest. Great care must be exercised in burning brush. There is very little danger, however, on a calm day if one is vigilant and careful.

Extinction of Fires.

Forest fires may be divided into four classes. The tree fire, surface fire, underground fire, and crown fire.

A tree fire represents the case where a single tree is affected. It is usually a dead, dry snag caused by the unsportsman like trick of smoking game or bees, or possibly struck by lightning or maybe by a spark from a nearby engine. This kind of fire is not difficult to extinguish. If water is available the tree may be saturated, or it may be cut down and flailed or smothered out.

The surface fire, most common in the Penn District, may occur at any dry season of the year, usually in the spring before the leaves appear, and in the fall after they drop. Fanned by a strong wind the surface fire may reach great proportions, especially if there has been a delay in attacking it. Attack upon a surface fire must be made at the point called the head or "header." Here the flames are traveling more rapidly than at any other point. If there is no wind the fire burns comparatively slow. A satisfactory attack in this case is to rake a clean path, encircling the "header" first, as close to the fire line as possible. Except in very unusual cases the fire will burn itself out upon reaching the path. If there is a wind the surface fire is doubly hard to extinguish and backfiring must be resorted to. There should be sufficient men to attack upon all sides. The men should be divided into crews, each crew assigned a portion of the line. At least three good men from each crew should lead, raking a path clean to mineral soil, as near to the fire line as deemed safe. The rakers should see to it that enough material is allowed along the line that the man following with a torch can successfully start backfires. After the torchman should come the guards, bearing spray tanks if water is available. The task of the guard is an important one. He is in position to determine the result of the backfire. His judgment as to the safety of the line is depended upon. The guard should not leave any portion of line until he knows it is safe. Too much area, many times, is sacrificed in starting backfires. It should be remembered that just enough area be backfired that when it meets the main fire, the surrounding unburned land will not be endangered.

Underground fires occur only in cases of very severe drought, and are usually the result of surface fires. They burn beneath the general surface of the soil. They burn very slowly but with intense heat, and cover possibly only 2 or 3 acres a day. These fires can be extinguished only by digging a trench deep enough to prevent spread. If water is available the trench should be flooded.

Crown fires, the most fierce and deadly of any, seldom occur in Pennsylvania. When they do occur it is when there is a high wind and the woods are very dry. Everything is consumed in its path, and man is helpless to prevent spread. Natural conditions as to topography and growth are the most effective means in checking it.

Hardships and Dangers

The hardships and dangers attended in fighting forest fires are many. To get food to fire fighters in many cases is a problem. As a rule fires occur many miles from a village where food is available. This means sometimes many hours of strenuous labor without it.

Whenever possible canteens are furnished fire fighters. But many fires occur where there is no water for miles. In fighting fires man suffers thirst quickly because of the intense heat, but many hours have elapsed before water can be furnished.

When an unusually bad fire is attacked sleep is an uncertain thing. The flames must be extinguished as quickly as possible, and for this reason rest is not enjoyed until the flames are under control. Men have gone 48 hours or more without sleep in many cases.

There is danger always in performing this hazardous duty, and many lives have been lost in the past. There is always the possibility of being surrounded by the flames. In hurrying over rocky and treacherous forest land one is apt to receive severe injury to the body.

The fact that men show a willingness and concern in helping combat the flames of a forest fire indicates indeed a true and loyal citizenship.

GIVE TEACHERS LUNCHEON

Bellefonte Trust Company Tenders Annual Thrift Meetings.

Fifty-three teachers from the public schools of Bellefonte, Milesburg, Unionville, and Boggs, Benner, Marion, Huston, Patton, Spring, Union and Walker Townships, were present at the annual luncheon given at the Brockerhoff Hotel by the Bellefonte Trust Co., for the purpose of encouraging thrift among children and increasing the scope of the savings department in the schools. N. E. Robb, treasurer of the bank, gave a very interesting talk on "Thrift," and among other things made the statement that there were no fewer than 1,400 school children carrying savings accounts, representing a total deposit of $15,000. Other speakers included County Superintendent of Schools Etters, Principal Arthur H. Sloop, Vocational Supt. J. B. Payne, Miss Ella Levy and Attorney Harry Keller.

Teachers present, together with the school which they represented, included the following:

Bellefonte—Arthur H. Sloop, E. K. Stock, J. M. Riden, Wallace J. Ward, Henrietta Sebring, Daisy Henderson, Helen A. Mackey, Alice Bell Lurs, J. E. Hollingsworth, J. F. Gilston, all of the High School; Grace M. Johnston, 4th grade; Genevieve Ricker, 7th grade; Mrs. Sarah McGarvey, 6th grade; Ella Levy, 8th grade; Helen Harper, 3rd grade; Mame Woods, 2nd grade, Bishop St. School; Hilda W. Leathers, 2nd grade; Carrie A. Weaver, 7th grade; Esther Hafner, 1st grade; May Taylor, 8th grade, Allegheny St Building.

Milesburg—Ray G. Hirlinger; Mary Yorks, primary; Mary Boyle, Grammar.

Unionville—Margaret A. Stere, primary; Mary A. Lansbery, Grammar.

Boggs Twp.—Hazel Heverly, Central City; Bessie Johnson, 7th and 8th grades Central City; Anna C. Schroyer, 1st and 2nd grades, Central City; Gretchen Williams, Runville; Pauline R. Neff, Yocum Grammar.

Walker Twp.—W. Herbert Blough, Hublersburg High School; Mary Hoy, Hublersburg primary; Clara E. Dunkle, Centre; Mary R. Deitrich, Logan; Ruth Lee, Snydertown; Helen Guiser, Crawford; Nellie L. Stein, Zion; Grace Weaver, Franklin.

Huston Twp.—Metta L. Miles, Mrs. Mary Williams, Cherry Grove.

Union Twp.—Marte Z. Morrison, Julian; Margaret Calhoun, Maple Grove; Katherine V. Rearick, Bush Grove.

Spring Twp.—Bella B. Grove, Pleasant Gap primary; Mrs. James R. Allen, primary No. 2; Anna B. Sheeder, Coleville primary; Martha J. Barnhart, intermediate; Helen G. Brown, Half Moon Hill.

Benner Twp.—Martha W. Geiss, Rockview; Margaret Glenn, Clark.

Patton Twp.—J. M. Jacobs, Pleasant Hill; Paul M. Durner, Waddle.

Convict Re-captured.

Edgar Hippensteel, of Altoona, a Pittsburgh penitentiary convict who escaped in July, was re-captured in Bedford County last Friday. He was returned to Pittsburgh. Hippensteel shot and seriously wounded Fred L. Carns, an Altoona druggist, 3 years ago. He was located at the home of his mother at Dibbertown Corner.

EXPLOSION KILLS THREE

Accident Wrecked Equipment at Lock Haven Paper Mill.

Three men met death, four were injured, two of them seriously, and property damage estimated at $500,000 marked the result of a terrific explosion at the huge plant of the New York and Pennsylvania Paper company at Lock Haven at 6 o'clock Monday evening, completely destroying the pulp section at the west end of the mill.

The dead are:

Harry E. Fowler, aged forty, Susquehanna avenue, that city, found soon after the explosion.

Ralph Fryer, aged thirty six, of Flemington, body found at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Lee Hurst, aged twenty-nine, South Fairview street, that city, died in Lock Haven hospital at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Thorn Hurst, twin brother of Lee, burned about head and shoulders, able to leave hospital.

John Frey, Lock Haven, burned about body and suffering from severe lacerations caused by concrete and splinters being ground into his body.

H. B. Young, Beech Creek, severely burned and suffering from lacerations and contusions.

Samuel Reeder, employed in another department, hurled against machinery, several ribs fractured.

The pulp-mill, in which the explosion occurred, is a two-story structure, with a basement. The main floor was used for mixing pulp. It housed a battery of huge digesters, twenty-five feet high and six feet in diameter, in which wood chips, in an alkali solution, are reduced to pulp under heavy steam pressure.

The walls of the building were of brick and concrete eight inches in thickness, and the roof was held by heavy steel girders, but the force of the explosion was such that the pulp room was completely destroyed, the walls and the steel girders being hurled into the basement.

George Weaver, who tended one of the digesters, had just stepped back from it when the explosion occurred. The force of it hurled him thirty-five feet, rolling him over and over, but he escaped with slight bruises.

George Schroat, of Lock Haven, entered the building and removed the body of Harry Fowler, which was burned so as to be scarcely recognizable.

Harry Young, one of the injured, was found pinned under a steel girder. Plant workmen, assisted by Dr. J. L. Lubrecht, Harry Bennett, Frank Sisig and Leslie Driver, of Lock Haven, worked two hours before they were able to remove Young, because of the danger of a heavy mass of wreckage falling and killing the injured man.

Bush House Deal Closed.

On Monday afternoon the furnishings and fixtures of the Bush House were sold by Lewis Daggett and his mother, Mrs. Wells L. Daggett, to Edward Stewart, of Huntingdon, who had been negotiating for them for several weeks. The consideration was $11,000. The management of this famous old hostelry, which since the death of the late Wells Daggett, has been in the hands of his son Louis, will now be delegated to Allan Garman, formerly of Bellefonte, more recently postmaster of Tyrone, and a popular and experienced hotel man. The building was not sold, but has been leased from the Bush estate by the new management for a period of 5 years, with an option to buy before the expiration of the lease.

Car Hits Train.

When a Ford touring car comes into violent contact with a moving freight train one would naturally imagine that the only thing left to do would be to hold a post-mortem over Lizzy's pieces. But nothing of the kind. When a Ford owned by Elmer Lyle, of Pine Grove Mills, hit a freight at the P. R. R. crossing on Water street near Jodon's store on Monday evening about 8 o'clock the only damage it sustained was to have its radiator knocked loose from its moorings, the two front fenders bent and the lamps tilted at an angle which is certainly not legal in this State. None of the occupants of the car were injured. The freight train miraculously escaped with a few scratches.

Large Barn Burned.

Last Thursday afternoon the large barn on the James Witmer farm, was completely destroyed by a fire of unknown origin. Calvin Rider is the tenant farmer and was not at home at the time of the fire. Mrs. Rider, however succeeded in saving 2 horses and 2 hogs, which was all the live stock in the building at the time. The crops, implements, etc., were totally destroyed, entailing a loss of $2000, none of which was covered by insurance.

MUSSER MURDER CASE UP IN COURT TODAY

Small Jury Panel Available Necessitates Women Serving.

HEAVY CRIMINAL LIST

The Musser murder trial will be taken up in Court today. An unusually long list of other criminal cases is being disposed of preliminary to proceeding with the Musser trial. How long the latter will take is a matter of conjecture, but a verdict is looked for by Saturday night otherwise the jury will be locked up over Sunday.

As foreshadowed in these columns several weeks ago, one of the hardest problems in the case will be securing a jury, and it is reasonably certain that spectators in the court room will be drafted into service before twelve persons are found satisfactory to both prosecution and defense. Judge Quigley, for the first time, was unable to excuse women from jury duty. The rights of the two men facing a murder charge, together with a small panel of jurors to choose from, gave Judge Quigley no alternative but to require women to serve.

Although three men are involved as a result of the shooting of William Musser, in July, there will be only one trial, unless Harry Musser and Herbert Heaton demand to be tried separately. In the latter event, Harry Musser will be tried first, according to present plans. He will be charged with the actual murder. Heaton will be tried next, if Musser is convicted. Heaton was in the automobile with William Musser and Harry Musser on the night William Musser was killed. Whether or not Seymour Stover will be tried probably will depend largely upon his testimony in the Harry Musser and Heaton trials. The charge against Stover is that of being an accessory after the fact, in other words, of aiding Harry Musser to conceal evidence regarding the murder. It is alleged that Stover hid the revolver used in killing William Musser, also a pair of blood-stained overalls.

Court convened on Monday and a large portion of the forenoon session was taken up in hearing motions and petitions.

L. E. Swartz, of Walker Township, was selected as foreman of the Grand Jury.

The list of civil cases was gone over and the following disposed of for the present term:

Gordon Brothers vs. Kelley Brothers Coal Company; assumpsit. Continued.

James Cullen vs. Charles H. Rowland; trespass. Continued.

L. E. Kidder vs. George M. Raines; assumpsit. Continued.

Samantha A. Resides vs. Johnson Warner; trespass. Continued.

William L. Hicks, Executor of John W. Thomas deceased, vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company; trespass. Continued. Two suits.

Mrs. Rosa Schlogl, executrix of John Schlogl, deceased, vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company; trespass. Continued.

P. R. Rupp vs. J. V. Foster; assumpsit. Continued.

Ivan Walker, Receiver of the Centre County Banking Company, vs. George T. Bush; assumpsit. Continued.

Commonwealth vs. Paul Yatcik and George Malchiskey; arson. Prosecutor, William Metcalf. They pleaded guilty to burning a tipple of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, at Snow Shoe, and were sentenced to pay the costs and Yatcik to imprisonment in the Reformatory at Huntingdon, and Malchiskey to 3 to 6 years in the penitentiary.

The first civil case tried was P. C. Shoemaker vs. State College Commission Company; assumpsit. According to the plaintiff the defendant in January, 1923, purchased from him a car-load of wheat which was loaded on a freight car at Linden Hall Station and shipped to the purchasers as consignees at Richmond, Virginia; the wheat having been purchased at $1.31 per bushel; and after it had been shipped the defendants paid the plaintiff 80% of the entire price of the car-load. The defendant's testimony was that the car of wheat was bought as No. 2 Red Winter Wheat, subject to inspection and out-going weight at point of destination. The plaintiff claimed due him something over $300. Defendant asked a verdict to themselves for $1345 the amount paid. Verdict for plaintiff for the amount claimed by him.

M. F. Calderwood vs. A. Rushnock. This case resulted from the purchase of a horse and wagon by defendant from plaintiff last February. The plaintiff

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Prominent People

Carr Heads New U. S. Foreign Service

The appointment by Secretary Hughes of Wilbur J. Carr, director of the United States consular service, to be assistant secretary of state marks a reorganization of the consular service under the Rogers act. The act is designed to take service of the United States abroad out of politics and establish a permanent professional foreign service ranking in ability with any in the world. The foreign service of the nation now constitutes a profession just as much as the army and navy. Meritorious service will be rewarded by promotions and increased salaries. It is said that one diplomatic and thirty-one consular officials were retired as having reached the limit of sixty-five years; five diplomatic attaches who have been carried on an unassigned list were not reinstated; eight diplomatic and thirteen consular officials were demoted as failing to reach the desired standard of efficiency, and two names were removed by resignation. The act abolishes as separate entities the diplomatic and consular services and creates instead the foreign service.

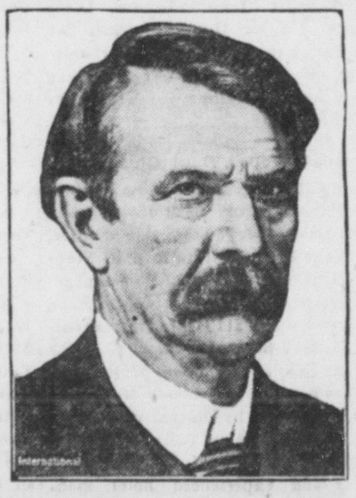
Wilbur John Carr was born in Ohio in 1870. He took the collegiate degrees of A. B., LL. B. and LL. M and was admitted to the bar in 1901. He was a clerk in the State department, 1892-1902, and became director of the consular service in 1901. So his new position was earned by 32 years of service. He is a member of various organizations and clubs and has contributed to various learned publications.

Minister Smiddy From Irish Free State

A mild-mannered, cultured professor from Cork university, appointed minister plenipotentiary from the Irish Free State to the United States, is credited with symbolizing a long step forward in the history of the world. The appointment of Prof. Timothy A. Smiddy means that Ireland will have direct access to the government of the United States, and have the sole direction of diplomatic matters exclusively pertaining to the Free State. She thus embarks, for the first time, on the sea of foreign affairs. Her flag will fly in Washington over her own embassy, a symbol to all the world, that she is no longer a subordinate province, but a nation with international recognition. As for Professor Smiddy himself, he is already well known and well liked in the capital. He has been in Washington since August, 1922, when he was appointed by Michael Collins to promote trade relations between Ireland and the United States. The appointment of an Irish Free State minister is an important event in Washington diplomatic circles, since it probably means that Canada, Australia, and possibly South Africa, may follow the lead of Ireland in having their own representatives, independent of the British embassies in foreign capitals.

Minister Smiddy was born in 1876. He has been carefully educated and is an accomplished linguist and musician. His wife is a painter of talent. There are five children, still in their teens.

George Lane of Bar-U, Wales' Neighbor



Here is a portrait of George Lane, the "Alberta cattle king" who was largely responsible for the purchase by the prince of Wales of his E-P ranch. Lane is American by birth and owns the Bar-U ranch, one of the largest in Canada. Lane has something like 100,000 acres and his horses are almost without number. He is noted as a breeder of Percherons and Clydesdales.

In 1919 the prince of Wales spent sixty days in Canada, making an official tour of the entire Dominion. He visited George Lane on his Bar-U ranch. He was so pleased with the country round about that he told Lane he'd buy, if he could find the right kind of ranch. Lane told him he had sound sense and offered his good offices. These resulted in the purchase of the Beddingfield ranch of 4,610 acres, adjoining the Bar-U. Professor W. L. Carlyle, a native of Canada and a member of the staff of the agricultural college at Ames, Iowa, was engaged as manager of the ranch, which was renamed the E-P ranch, the initials being an abbreviation of Edward Prince. The ranch is about forty miles south of Calgary and twenty-five miles from High river, on the Canadian Pacific railway. It has been very successful.

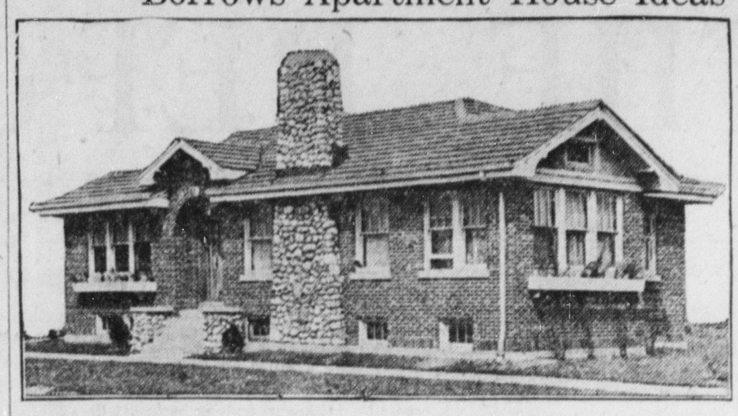
E. A. Bancroft of Chicago Goes to Japan

Edgar A. Bancroft of Chicago has been appointed ambassador to Japan, to succeed Cyrus E. Woods, who resigned after passage of the immigration law with exclusion causes against Japanese. Mr. Bancroft has not been active politically, although he is a consistent Republican and was a Presidential elector in 1888.

He was born in Galesburg, Ill., in 1857 and after graduating from Knox college and Columbia law school practiced law in his native city, going to Chicago in 1892, where he became solicitor for the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway and later acted in a similar capacity for the Chicago & Western Indiana. From 1907 until 1920 he served as general counsel for the International Harvester company. He is author of "The Chicago Strike of 1894-95," "The Moral Sentiment of the People," "The Foundation of National Greatness," and "The Destruction or Regulation of Trusts." He has been president of the Chicago Bar association and was president of the Illinois Bar association in 1910.

Reports were current that following the resignation of Mr. Woods, the United States government made informal inquiries at the Japanese foreign office to find out if Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, now minister to China, would be acceptable in Tokyo. It is said that the Japanese government was not enthusiastic about Dr. Schurman because of his activities.

Charming and Unusual Brick Home Borrows Apartment House Ideas



By WILLIAM A. RADFORD

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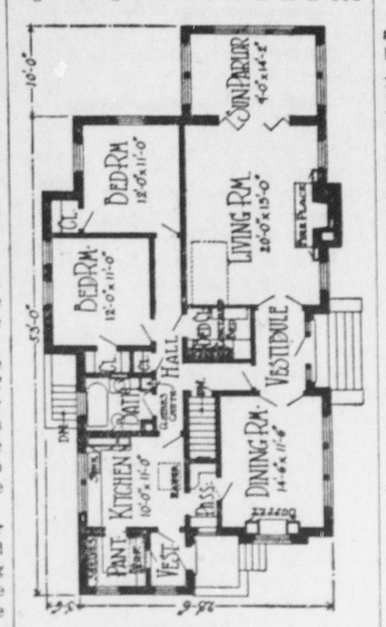
Apartment builders, when apartment building was rather an experimental proposition, were forced to take their ideas for the most part from those developed from years of experience in building separate homes. And it is high time that the apartment returned the compliment and presented some ideas which can be used with gain in the erection of the detached home.

This is exactly what has been done in this charming and unusual home of brick, for while the floor plans show only five rooms, the home really has the efficiency of a six-room house through the use of a closet bed, such as are so generally utilized in the planning of modern apartments.

The home as shown is designed for a corner lot, with the unusual arched entrance in the center of the long side of the building. The fireplace chimney of field stone is a decorative touch.

The arched entryway opens into a vestibule which gives access to the living room, the dining room and a hall which leads to all other parts of the home.

But the center of interest in this home is the large and very "livable" living room, with its size increased by the dimensions of the sun parlor which parctically is part of the room. And entirely out of sight and detracting nothing from the room is a bed



Floor Plan.

which can be utilized when needed, solving the problem of the spare room without the extra expense.

The arrangement of the two bedrooms, the kitchen and the efficient pantry will repay careful study.

Moderate Priced House Is Now the Chief Need

That the need of today is for homes of moderate price and moderate size, is the opinion of William Elder, Indianapolis real estate man. During the times of apparent unrest in business, the greater part of the building population is beginning to be dubious as to the benefit in building houses, the price of which ranges above $5,000, he said. Mr. Elder said the present business conditions are merely reactions which had to follow the war and also that the country was once again shifting back to the prewar period. He believes that the natural course taken will be one of less building.

"Today the thing needed is houses of moderate price," he said, "so that the ordinary working man who has only the average chance of paying his debts will be able to pay for his home. It is a long pull for the average man to pay for a home on terms regardless of the price. A house is not like a piece of furniture that can be bought one week and paid for the next. A house takes time, as anything that runs in the thousands of dollars does."

If a man has the "payment habit," which results in his spending a dollar of his pay roll here and another there, the profitableness of his buying a home on payments is doubtful, Elder said. It sometimes proves to make the home buyer wish to save his money, but this is seldom the case with the man who spends all his money this way, he said.

If all the prospective home buyers who are holding back because they want houses of the quality that now cost $10,000 or more, would be satisfied with houses of the bungalow type, to cost not more than $5,000 or so, and would go ahead and build them, Mr. Elder said, industry would be tremendously stimulated.

Concrete Block Used Now for Building Entire House

In addition to its strength concrete block first became popular with builders because of the fine appearance of the rock-face block in basement walls, its convenience in laying and economy. Providing as it does from 20 per cent to 50 per cent dead air space, a concrete wall affords greater protection from the cold than solid masonry, and it will not sweat like solid masonry.

Many residences have been built entirely of concrete block construction in the walls and they make extremely comfortable homes, splendidly protected from the cold in winter and the heat of summer.

Small Suite Houses

In many cities the house built after the manner of the small apartment suite is popular. Wall beds are provided in several rooms and are cheaper than building more rooms.

Lighting Service Rooms

In the kitchen, pantry and cellar it is essential to provide direct lighting fixtures, so that light can be thrown down upon the working plane.

Things About Plumbing Householder Should Know

The trap is a curved pipe permitting the last of a flow of water to remain in the pipe to prevent a back flow of sewer gas into the house. There are many different types. The grease trap is used to separate grease from water in large or institutional kitchens and saves plumbing bills. Traps must be in plain sight under the sink.

The house sewer is that part of the main drain or sewer extending from a point two feet outside of the outer front wall of the building, vault or area, to its connection with the public sewer, private sewer or cesspool.

The house drain is that part of the horizontal drain and its branches inside the walls of a building, vault or area and often dug to and connecting with the house sewer.

The soil line is the vertical line of pipe having outlets above the flow of the first story for the toilet.

The waste line is the vertical line of pipe having outlets above the first floor for fixtures other than the toilet.

The vent pipe is applied to any special pipe provided to ventilate the system of piping and prevent trap siphonage and back pressure. Fresh air outlets and main traps are to prevent odors and gases entering the house from the sewer.—From the Designer Magazine.

Weather Stripping Way to Protect Furnishings

An all-warm house in winter time is a practical impossibility without weather-stripping. Buildings settle even on the best foundations; doors and windows adjust themselves; air passages appear, and drafts and heat waste result. Realizing this, many inventive minds have developed weather strips for doors and windows calculated to be practical and efficient, and last indefinitely.

In the old days the weather-strip was considered simply a cold weather advantage. Now, however, they have been found as necessay and effective in excluding dust and dirt. Good weather-stripping of doors and windows protects rugs, drapes, wall paper, painting and good furniture against soiling and deterioration from the dust, smoke, soot and dirt sifting in from the outside.

Let us consider the scientific basis of weather-stripping. It is a fact that burning fuel at full-blast "spots" heat at certain points. These points are too hot, while exposed places near doors and windows and the areas fairly distant from the heating plant are cold.

Two Baths Better

For the small additional expense the family of any size will find it a great convenience, especially when several members of the family must be ready to leave the house at about the same hour, to have two bathrooms.

Basement Convenience

If possible, plan the house with an outside basement entrance for convenience in the laundry and in emptying ashes.

Marry in haste and you will have no leisure for repenting.

Few persons arrested for speeding are en route to the dentist.

The children run about everything now except the lawn mower.

The possessor of a fly swatter is playing the double headers that have piled up.

Every woman with a pantry wonders why there is no government bounty on ants.

How fortunate that dogs are not so ferocious in proportion to their size as mosquitoes.

Bobbed hair no longer is the thing, beauty doctors say. There is a switch in the program.

"Not all women," says a fashion hint, "can wear knickers." Still, all seem willing to try.

The drowning season is about over, as reports of hunting accidents are beginning to come in.

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Built Nest in Railroad Car

When a car from the Pennsylvania coal fields reached Waterloo, N. Y., a robin was noticed hovering about it, and on the bumpers was found her nest with two eggs in it. It is a certainty that her home was established and the eggs laid before coming to Waterloo, but whether the bird rode in the nest or accompanied the train on the wing is not known.

A wife may be called the better half because she usually gets the best of the other half.

A man is, in his veriest reality, what he loves.—George Tyrrell.

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Danube's Delta a Watery Maze

Its Many Mouths Present Innumerable Lairs for Piratically Inclined.

Washington, D. C.—Playing hide and seek with Rumanian gunboats in the sixteen mouths of the Danube river, a robber chieftain called Terrente, self-styled "King of the Swamps," is reported to have brought shipping on the great river to a standstill.

"Standing well to the front among the rivers of the world the Danube with its many mouths, presents innumerable lairs for the piratically inclined," the National Geographic society says in a bulletin from its headquarters in Washington, D. C.

"After sprawling in a great angle around the barrier of Dobrudja, continues the bulletin, "the so-called blue Danube drops its load of mud and sand gathered from eight nations of Europe in a large delta at the western end of the Black sea. This delta takes the form of a huge, equilateral triangle fifty miles long on each side. The northern border is the Kilia branch, the south, the St. Georges branch, while on the east is the Black sea shore. The two main branches of the Danube are subdivided time and again in their never-ending impossible task of trying to make land and flow over it at the same time,

"Bisecting the triangle is the Sulina branch of the Danube which receives practically all of the shipping trade, since a deep channel to the upper river is maintained through it by the concerted action of the governments of Europe. The treaty of Paris of 1856 created the European commission of the Danube and ordered it to make the mouths of the great river open to navigation within two years. Evidence of how little the diplomats knew of the engineering problems involved in making a huge river serve mankind is shown by the fact that the commission not only worked two years but is still at work.

Deltas Dreary Places.

"Of all the varieties of earth surface, deltas rank high as the most useless to civilization. Mountains are admired for their inspiration, deserts hold rare beauty for those who seek it, but no one goes to a delta even to hunt ducks if he can help it. The Danube's delta is particularly unattractive since the peasants have not been able to adapt it to agriculture as sugar cane planters have large parts of the Mississippi delta. Some deltas such as those of the Amazon and the Yangzte consist of large islands surrounded by considerable water, but the Danube's waters run through a vast swamp which was almost a complete barrier to navigation before the European commission of the Danube took a hand.

"In country that is neither land nor water the reeds and willows take command and do not catch malaria. Deprived of timber the peasant fisherman put the reeds to many uses. Willows are used for basket making and for fish weirs. A plumed reed is cut for fuel and still another kind is woven into mats or used as thatch. Inhabitants of the Danube delta are mostly Russian fishermen. Those who are irritated at fishing restrictions in the United States can appreciate what a fisherman's paradise they live in by comparison. The Rumanian government considers fishing a government monopoly, and every commercial catch must be brought to a government customs house to be auctioned off.

"By the construction of levees and piers, the European commission of the Danube has opened a channel to Galatz, the Rumanian naval port, capable of receiving shipping up to 4,000 tons. The traffic in and out the river amounts to more than 5,000,000 tons annually. By this route Rumania, fifth nation in petroleum production sends out much of her oil to the world. From the loess plains of Bessarabia and southeast Rumania, continuations of the Black Earth belt of Russia, come tons of cereals and even American corn which is a staple Rumanian product.

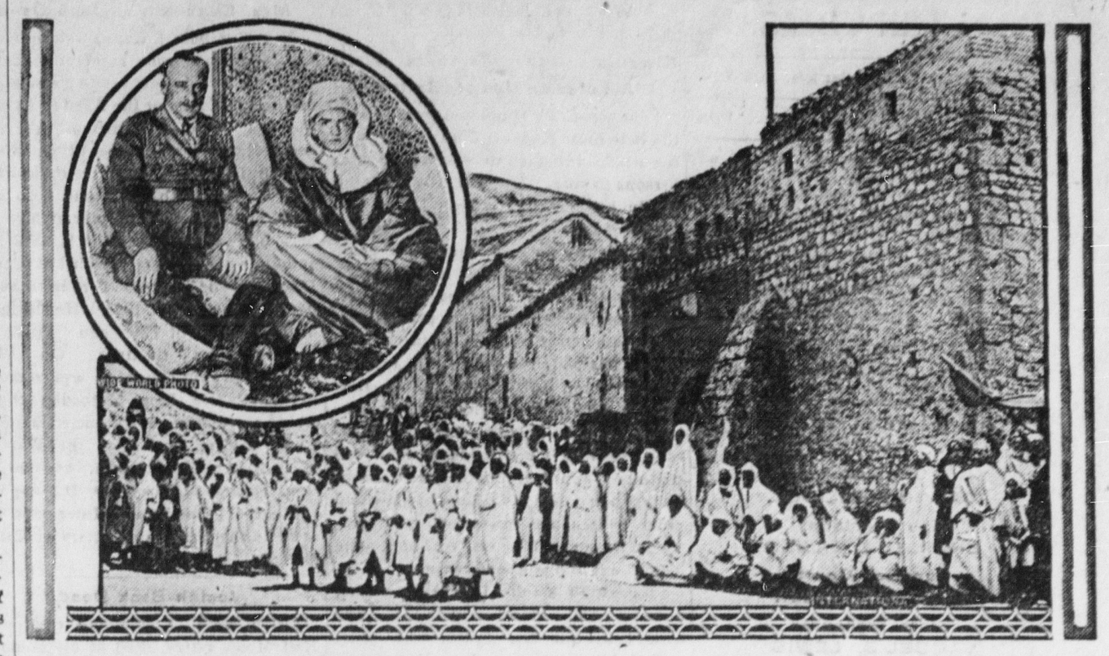
"Before the Sulina channel was made products were brought to the sea in lighters and put aboard ships waiting in the open roadstead. Once a heavy storm arose and dashed 24 sailing vessels and many lighters on shore with the loss of 300 lives. Such a disaster is now impossible.

Danube Shorter Than Mississippi.

"The Danube rises in the Alps and flows 1,750 miles to reach the Black sea, breaking through the Carpathian mountains at the Iron gate, which is the Culebra cut of the Balkans. It is about 750 miles shorter than the Mississippi, and although it drains a great part of Europe outside of Russia, the Danube basin is only one-fourth of that of the Mississippi. The Nile, like the Danube, has many mouths, a recent map showing eleven. The Mississippi once divided into many sizable streams to reach the Gulf, but engineers have succeeded in guiding most of its force into a single channel.

"It may be that Terrente, the Danube pirate, is using the uninhabited Isle of Serpents off the mouth of the river for the headquarters of his fleet. This precipitous island about a mile in circumference figures in Grecian history and is supposed to be the home of the spirit of Achilles. Great flocks of white-winged sea gulls frequent its rocky slopes together with the black snakes from which the island takes its name."

Moroccans Receive the Dictator of Spain



Gen. Primo de Rivera, president of the military directorate of Spain, has been making a tour of inspection and conciliation in Morocco. The illustration shows notables of the city of Xauen waiting outside the gates to receive him; and, inserted, Rivera in friendly converse with the son of Raisuli, the famous bandit chief.

"Mere Male" Is No Joke in Sumatra

"Weaker Sex" Not Even Form of Speech on Island, Says Professor.

Chicago.—The Menengkabaus, a people who held off the Dutch colonizers for 200 years, who abstain from intoxicating liquor, and whose women are more important than the men; and the Bataks, who have just emerged from cannibalism and who adhere to the death cult, were described as living on the same island by Prof. Fay-Cooper Cole of the University of Chicago department of anthropology in a lecture on Sumatra.

Living on an island a little smaller than California—Sumatra—the Menengkabaus have a highly developed maternal form of government, Professor Cole said. Under such a system the husband has no rights over his children who inherit through their mothers. All weddings are manipulated by the bride or the bride's family and the dowry is only $2.40, all that the husband is considered worth.

Equal Suffrage.

Men and women have equal suffrage rights. To such an extent is the government based on equality that for 200 years the Menengkabaus refused to recognize the Dutch as overlords in the East Indies.

In another part of the island are the Bataks who still retain vestiges of cannibalism.

"Although cannibalism was declared extinct 15 years ago by the Dutch," Professor Cole stated, "there are still certain Bataks who admit that a Chinaman tastes much better than a Batak. In one place a tablet has been erected to some missionaries who were eaten about a half century ago.

Worship Dead Chiefs.

"The Bataks worship the dead chiefs by means of the death cult. They have built stone coffins with images carved upon them, and in which are placed the bodies of the most prominent chiefs. In smaller urns the skulls of the lesser lights are deposited. These are kept until the annual festivities when the bones are removed, washed and buried; this is a sign that the spirits have passed into the Batak heaven."

Professor Cole said that he thought Sumatra, located south of Singapore, was an island of the future, and that it would some day rival Java, which is at present open to tourists and considered to have some of the most beautiful country in the world. According to Doctor Cole the scenery of Sumatra is even more beautiful than that of Java.

Sioux Indians May Read Bible History

Cincinnati.—An innovation in the printing of biblical history in the language of Indians, from the Teton Sioux tribe of the Pine Ridge reservation of South Dakota, has made its appearance in Cincinnati.

The work, which is the fruit of much painstaking and self-denying work on the part of its author, Rev. Eugene Buechel, S. J., who is stationed at St. Francis, S. D., came from the presses here with the distinction of being the first time that a history of the Bible has been translated into an Indian language.

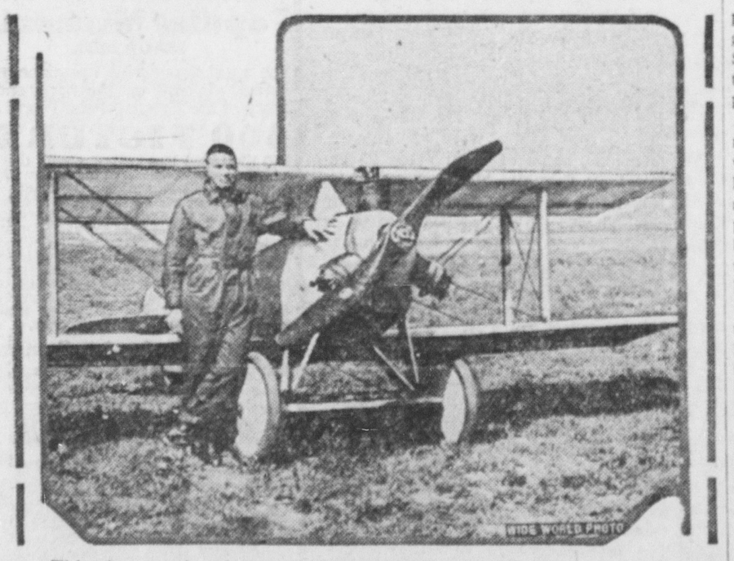
"Wowapi Wakan," is the name of the new book and this turned into the English language means "Bible History." Latin characters constitute the words, forming phonetically the language of the Teton Sioux.

About 3,000 copies of the work have been printed and are ready for distribution among the Sioux.

Must Be Husky One

London.—Jewels worth $500,000,000 are worn by a native prince in India, according to Sir Alfred Mond, who told of the amazing wealth of India in gems in a talk before the London Commercial club.

Skeeter Plane Little, but Fast



This photograph, taken at McCook field, Dayton, Ohio, shows Lieut. Donald Phillips with his new "skeeter plane" propelled by a 120-horsepower Lawrence engine. The wing spread is 18 feet and the speed attained is 115 miles an hour. The weight, less that of the engine, is 305 pounds; the engine weighs 175 pounds. The plane's "climb" is 600 feet a minute; the "ceiling" is 12,000 feet.

Caring for Records Difficult Problem

Loss of Documents Often Causes Heavy Expense.

New York.—The discovery in South Dakota not long ago of a parchment land deed, dated 1801 and disposing of a million acres along the Niagara river in New York state, directs attention anew to the difficulties presented by the problem of caring for records.

The matter will come to the attention of the American Historical association next December, for the society is to hold its convention at Richmond, Va., and in that city the state has a special fireproof building, the archives department of the State library, for safeguarding documents. Morgan P. Robinson, head of the archives department, was instrumental in bringing the convention to his city. In some New York towns stores of local records of historic value have been burned as junk.

The story of the archives in New York is one that has more interest than an outsider would casually attribute to such a dry-as-dust matter. It has its villains, plots, searches, clues and tense moments, extending much further back than 1817, when one villain was sentenced to prison for life for fraudulently substituting false conveyances in a record book.

It is a story not without humor also, in proof of which James P. Davenport, of the index department of the county register's office, cites the good wife of Arent Juriasen Lantsman. She flourished at a period when the earliest Dutch folio in New Amsterdam was not yet filled up.

Records From Earliest Days.

Such testimony might conceivably come to life again today. It gives a moment's glimpse at New Amsterdam, and it might be cited once more if such a dispute as the Anneke Jans claim ever got as far as a court calendar. These old claims—the assertion of families and groups that they are the true owners of this or that acreage in the heart of Manhattan—are coming up all the time, says Mr. Davenport.

Eastville, Northampton county, Virginia, has the country's oldest continuous court records, running back to 1632, and is said to have also the country's oldest will, dated July 18, 1632, and recorded on January 13 of the following year. In the custody of the New York secretary of state at Albany, however, there are Dutch land records extending from 1630 to 1649 and from 1652 to 1661. They were among the documents that escaped in the State library fire of 1911, which destroyed 500,000 books and 300,000 manuscripts. Much of the executive, legislative and judicial record material was not in the library at the time of the fire, including Dutch, British and Revolutionary documents and state documents dating from 1777.

While the British held New York in the course of the Revolution important volumes were taken, some by Americans and some by the British, but were returned later. The English put the books on warships, and when the books were given back in 1788 they were mildewed from their long sojourn at sea.

Only one of the original Dutch real estate "libers" is not represented in full in the county register's files; it is the volume for 1675 to 1683. The others are represented by the originals or by abstracts.

Documents Represent Billions.

There has been considerable scattering of old New York documents. Once the secretary of the colony kept the books. Now the criminal archives are in the Court of General Sessions, the surrogate has those that belong to his work, the old Mayor's court records are held by the commissioner of records, and so on. Before 1811 deeds could be recorded locally or with the secretary of state; his office at Albany has 1,400. One old book of Dutch deeds is possessed by the New York Historical society and a translation is filed in the register's office.

Old court records outside New York city contain matter bearing on realty titles here, but a tally has shown that the city departments have all the documents listed in an inventory made by the common council in 1740.

The 11,000 libers on the shelves in the offices of Register Annie Mathews form evidence of title to $6,000,000,000 worth of realty in Manhattan. The cost of merely gathering abstracts if such records are destroyed is tremendous. Chicagoans have spent millions of dollars for abstracts as a result of the fire of 1871, and the destruction of records in San Francisco in 1906 is said to have cost $3,000,000 in proceedings under a special title law, aside from the cost of records in probate matters and civil and criminal actions.

ROBBERS' LOOT IS SOUGHT 50 YEARS

Farmer Continues Quest He Began in 1874.

Arkansas City, Kans.—Elzy Harris, seventy, is still searching for the treasure of the Cummins, Cook and Walker bandit gangs, which he firmly believes is buried somewhere in southwestern Kansas or northern Oklahoma. Mr. Harris, a prosperous farmer, has been hunting for this treasure trove 50 years and he has found just trace enough to encourage further search. He was in Arkansas City recently looking for old maps and data that would aid him.

He believes there is bandit loot buried in Natural Bridge park, east of this city, a wooded section, dotted with caves and hidden springs and rugged gulches that would require a lifetime of labor to explore. An aged negro woman pioneer, whose name he refuses to disclose, is said to have seen part of the loot buried and earth and rocks dynamited over it.

For 25 years Harris has lived the life of a recluse, mostly in woods and canyons, carrying on his work alone, and he still believes he will be successful.

The bandit gang referred to ranged this section in 1870. They looted wagon trains and stores and are said at one time to have had over two million in gold dust. The members of the band were captured or killed, and the secret of the cache died with them.

Rare Sea Monster Is Caught Near Florida

St. Augustine, Fla.—A monster from the seas off Africa, its native habitat, visited the rich fishing grounds off the Florida coast to get a change of diet and promptly became entangled in fishermen's nets. The fish is known as the gigantic ox-ray or two-horned manta (manta biroseris being the scientific name).

The fish is one of the largest specimens of this rare and formidable monster ever caught. It measured 15 feet across the back and its mouth was 5 feet wide, and from it was taken more than a bushel of fish. The monster could swallow a man. Its weight was 1,100 pounds.

Four hours were required to land the catch and one fisherman of the group was drowned in the process.

CIVIL WAR RAID RELICS ARE DUG UP IN KANSAS

Workmen Uncover Cellar of Lawrenceville Saloon Looted by Bushwhackers.

Lawrence, Kans.—Relics of the Quantrell raid in Lawrence on August 21, 1863, when 150 men of the town were massacred and the city pillaged and burned, were unearthed when excavations were made recently for the new building of the Lawrence Journal-World.

Workmen removed from their diggings an assortment of liquor bottles, metal bar fixtures and glassware, some of the wreckage bearing the imprint of a Leavenworth distiller of 57 years ago.

Investigation showed that the excavation had invaded the filled-in cellar of a saloon, run by Joseph Brechtelbauer at the time of the raid.

Brechtelbauer fled from the saloon when the guerrilla band dashed into town, but he was caught with four other Lawrence citizens, and Quantrell's men shot them all to death.

As Brechtelbauer took flight, he tossed a bag of money into a rain barrel, whence members of his family later retrieved it.

The Quantrell raid at Lawrence was the most audacious and the most disastrous of a series of expeditions the southern chief headed.

Riding into the sleeping town at daybreak, the invading band took the citizens completely by surprise, and almost before the defenders could recover from their daze more than 100 men were lying, dead or wounded and mangled, in the streets. Shops were pillaged and then burned.

When Quantrell and his followers finally disappeared, about 9 a. m., they vanished as quickly as they had come.

Snooks, Noted Horse, Bears 13th General

Camp McClellan, Ala.—Gen. Hugh A. Drum, deputy chief of staff of the War department at Washington, is the thirteenth general in the United States army to ride Snooks, noted Sixth cavalry horse, while on a tour of inspection of Camp McClellan. Its owner is Capt. Van Dyke Ochs.

Snooks is twelve years of age and lays claim to a place in America's Who's Who for other achievements than that of bearing 13 generals. In his whole life history Snooks has never entered a horse show without bringing out a tangible distinction of some kind. He has won 49 ribbons and 13 cups.

The following generals have had the honor of riding old Snooks: Pershing, Scott, Shanks, Holbrook, Harris, Hanbrook, Helmick, Erwin, Parker, King, Wells, Winans and Drum.

Japan holds first place among world countries in the value of its fishing products.

ESSAYS DESCRIBE HORRORS OF THE PAST REVOLUTION

Children of Russian Refugees Write Grim Tale.

Prague.—A touching collection of human-interest material has just emerged from a school in which 500 children of Russian emigres receive their daily instruction.

All of them were asked to write down their experiences from 1917 to the time of their entering the school, and were given two hours to complete the task.

Here is one of the productions: "From Persia we went to Archangel, from there to Norway and London. . . . After Egypt I lived in Paris, Stockholm and Warsaw. I tried to get to Brazil. With papa we went to Java. We kept changing places for six years."

The following sounds like a novel: "We traveled about for a long time and lived poorly. In one city our little dog licked the boots of a beggar. We walked home and the beggar followed us. Suddenly mother fainted. The beggar took off his beard—it was our long-lost papa."

What happened to one boy during the revolution is described as follows:

"Both my brothers were killed. My father, likewise, was killed and my mother was allowed to starve. Mother returned from the hospital and said: 'You are orphans now, your father died.' Out on the street I saw a list of those shot; papa was among them. Our uncle was summoned and later we found him in a big ditch where there were others, also. When father was shot I understood what a revolution is. There were seven of us, and I alone have survived. For half a year I lived on roots and nettles. At the age of eleven I saw how people were shot, hanged, drowned and even broken on the wheel."

The shortest description was furnished by a twelve-year-old girl:

"I saw war, pestilence and hunger."

The collection of essays is to be brought out in book form.

"PRACTICE CHILD"

Here is "Frances Pauline," a baby with a thousand mothers, who is the "practice child" in the home economics department of the University of Maine. The women students take turns caring for her as part of their course of instruction.

After 54 Years Finds Kin

Omaha, Neb.—John Remick recently heard the first word from home since he ran away 54 years ago, when a letter was read to him by the police at Central station. The letter informed him his parents and two brothers were dead. The missive was from another brother, Charles Remick, of Los Angeles, who sought to get in touch with John.

Chicken Has Eight Hearts

Evening Shade, Ark.—Mrs. C. D. Evans recently killed a chicken that had eight hearts. One normal-sized organ was found and the others, which were small, were arranged under it in the form of a cluster of grapes.

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FARM CALENDAR

Timely Reminders From The Pennsylvania State College.

PROTECT VEGETABLES—Gather together all the old burlap bags, tents, tarpaulins, etc., that can be used in an emergency to protect tender garden crops from early frosts. Beans and tomatoes that have not matured are especially in need of this protection.

SILO GASSES—Run the blower for a few minutes before continuing the filling of the silo in the morning. Poisonous gasses may form over night that are injurious enough to overcome anyone entering the silo containing it. If door boards are left out to the level of the silage there is little danger.

BURY CABBAGE—Do not overlook the opportunity to store cabbage in barrels buried in the ground. The ditch or trench method is also a good one where better means of storage are not available.

COVER CROPS—After potatoes and corn are removed the fertility and tilth of the soil may be maintained by sowing and discing in rye or rye and vetch as cover crops. More Pennsylvania farmers each year are finding that this practice pays well.

CARE OF PULLETS—Pullets which are beginning to lay on range should be placed in permanent quarters as soon as possible. The good poultryman will have his laying flocks reduced by careful culling and the vacant pens in ship shape order for his layers next year.

THE CORN SITUATION—One salvation for Pennsylvania corn lies in as thorough curing as possible before placing it in the crib. Even if frosts hold off during September there will be an unusually large amount of moisture in the corn, say State College specialists who have examined the situation in all sections of the state.

OVER THE COUNTY

John Reynolds, a slater, fell from the roof of a new house in State College last week and sustained a broken collar bone and a cut in his face which required 31 stitches to close.

Rev. John S. Hollenbach, pastor of the Aaronsburg Reformed church, has been extended a unanimous call by the Manchester, Md., Reformed charge. It is not known at this writing whether the pastor will accept the call.

About 40 new candidates were initiated in to membership in the Ku Klux Klan at the Grange Park in Centre Hall on Saturday evening of last week. A number of Klansmen and Klanswomen were present in costume. A wonderful display of fireworks was given the several thousand spectators who attended.

Contractor W. S. Williams, of Centre Hall, shot and killed a wild-cat one evening last week, while hunting raccoons in the Seven mountains. Mr. Williams shot the cat from the tree in which his dogs had forced it, and it was then finished by the dogs when it struck the ground. The bounty offered by the state is $15, while the skin, which measured 5 feet from tip to tip, is worth about $5.

At a depth of 130 feet water was found on top of the Nittany mountain. The well filled to a depth of 50 feet and no lessening of the flow could be discovered by the drillers in their tests. The lack of water has been the chief drawback to the popularity of this beautiful spot as a picnic grounds, and now that this need has been filled, Mr. Detwiler, who owns the mountain top, from which one of the most beautiful views in the state can be obtained, predicts it will be more popular than ever with tourists and others.

Mrs. Amanda Miller Dead.

Mrs. Amanda Miller, widow of Elias Miller, died at her home in Madisonburg on Monday, following a short illness from pneumonia. Deceased was aged 74 years. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ann S. Barger, of Madisonburg, with whom she made her home. Funeral services will be conducted from the late home on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Madisonburg.

WHY WE SHOULD VOTE

Kiwanis Club Members Write Articles on Use of Ballot.

Four especially appointed members of the Bellefonte Kiwanis Club have written articles intended to encourage more persons to vote. The first, by Prof. J. R. Hughes, in part, follows:

"The ballot is a vital necessity in performing one's duty as a citizen, in electing men and women fitted to enforce the laws, and thereby creating efficiency, and defeating the plans of professional politicians and protesting against foolish laws. The ballot, if wisely cast, inspires legislation that will mean the greatest good to the greatest number. The patriotic citizen will gladly seize the opportunity to vote for candidates that will protest or approve, oppose or sponsor vital public questions relating to law and order, general welfare, government control, civil and religious freedom, the betterment of one's environment in effecting a high standard of educational, humane and moral legislation. The ballot is the quietest, easiest and most dignified method of influencing public affairs. It is a bond of common interest. It has been tried in the balance and not found wanting. Therefore, let every one size up to his or her great opportunity for service and never fail to embrace it, both at the primary and the general elections, and his bosom will swell with pride that he is serving his God best because he is serving his country best."

Defends Hopper Closets.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—

I learn from the weekly papers that somebody has condemned the hopper style of water closets here in Bellefonte and has arbitrarily fixed the water rental for the use of one of them at $20 per year. I do not at this time know who did it, nor can I understand why such a thing should have been done. Certainly the parties who brought about the condemnation of the hopper closets know but little about the use of the different makes of closets, or else expected to benefit in some way by the changes that would be made necessary. I have had occasion to use in my family and elsewhere, quite a number of different tank closets. I have also used in my factory on Water St. for the last 10 years, 3 of the hopper style of closets, and I know what I am talking about when I say that they did not use more than a third of the water tank closets would have used, both makes being in proper repair.

If I had been compelled to use tank closets in my factory I would have been obliged to do one of two things, either set the closet so the water would run through it a little all the time, or else keep up steam all night, so as to keep the closet from freezing up and bursting. As it was, we wasted no water at all, as the valve in the supply pipe and the trap in the waste, or sewer pipe, were both buried in the ground so they could not freeze, and there was no occasion to waste water. My hopper closets are not now in use and will not be again so far as I am concerned, as I can speak as a disinterested person. You can wrap and protect the valve and trap of a hopper closet so it won't freeze, but you can't do so with a tank closet. So that hopper closets can be used where tank closets cannot and no doubt many of our people will have difficulty in finding a place on their premises where a tank closet can be used successfully, if at all, in cold weather. Condemn all closets that are out of repair and leaking and require them to be put in repair or replaced with new ones, but do not condemn the kind some of our water users can use, the hopper closet, as it positively is a water saver, when it is in proper repair.

Millions of gallons of water are wasted every summer to keep milk from souring and water at the spigot cool for drinking.

In many cases it would pay the Borough to furnish the consumers with ice, and thus save the water.

Yes, we have leaks, too many of them, and that is why our taxes have increased enormously, but the leaks are not all in the water pipes or fixtures.

Two men working on the streets, one with a pick and the other with a shovel, loaf, turn about, between them doing one man's work—a leak. Or the Borough truck going along the street gathering up the little piles of dirt swept up along the curbs and 3 men walking along with shovels on their shoulders. The first one to the pile gets it, generally about 2 shovels full. The other 2 just keep on walking. A still bigger leak.

Twenty dollars a year water rent, if you use a hopper closet!

Just think of it! In whose fertile brain could that idea have originated? Will somebody answer?

In the meantime, give the people a square deal and don't put through any half-baked schemes that will unnecessarily add to their already heavy burdens.

Very respectfully yours,
S. D. RAY

Conference of Women's Clubs.

The 29th annual meeting of the State Federation of Penna. Women will be held in Philadelphia during the week of Oct. 13—17. The date precedes that of the Centre County Conference just a few days, which leads the county officials to anticipate something of vital importance from those in attendance at the state convention.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Cupp Dead.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Cupp, widow of William Cupp, a former resident of Centre Line, but for the past year a guest at the Methodist Home for the Aged in Tyrone, died on Monday morning. She had been afflicted for a number of years with bronchitis which, with complications, caused her death. She was born near Charlottesville, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Hastings, June 9, 1842, and and after her marriage resided at Centre Line until she went to Tyrone to make her home on Oct. 4, 1923. Her husband died a number of years ago. There are no surviving relatives. On Wednesday morning the body was removed to the Centre Line Methodist church where services were conducted by Rev. J. E. Kahler, pastor of the Warriors Mark Methodist church, assisted by Rev. Emerson Karns, D. D., superintendent of the home. Interment was made in the Friends cemetery at Centre Line.

Josiah Beck Dead.

Josiah Beck, a life-long resident of Half Moon valley, died at his home on Monday afternoon, Sept. 15, from a general breakdown in health due to his advanced age. He was a son of Daniel and Elizabeth Crider Beck, and was born on the farm where he spent his entire life. He was a Civil war veteran and was the last surviving member of the William I. Furst post of the G. A. R., of Stormstown. He was united in marriage in 1865 to Miss Emeline Musser, of Harris Twp., and 7 children blessed their union. He is survived by 4 sons: John, of Philipsburg; Clyde, of Loveville; Mahlon, at the home farm, and Harry, in the west. Funeral services were held in the Centre Line Lutheran church on Wednesday afternoon by the pastor, after which interment was made in the Centre Line cemetery.

Andrew Smith Dead.

Andrew Smith, of Mackeyville, died at the Lock Haven hospital Monday noon, following a 2 years illness. He was aged 78 years and had been a lifelong resident of Nittany valley. He was a member of the Lutheran church of Salona. He is survived by 3 sons and 3 daughters: Calvin, Mill Hall; R. B., New Kensington; King, Jersey Shore; Mrs. H. A. Oppel, Mt. Union; Mrs. John Dorman, Nittany; Mrs. W. I. Walizer, Mackeyville; and by 3 brothers and a sister: James and Benjamin, Pittsburgh; Howard, Nittany; Mrs. Sarah Homan, Millheim. The remains were taken to the home of the sister, Mrs. Homan, in Millheim, where short services were held today, after which services were continued at the Union church at Farmers Mills, and burial made at Farmers Mills.

Edwin T. Kinne Dead.

Edwin T. Kinne, well known citizen of Milesburg, and for many years identified with the brick works at that place, died very suddenly at his home from heart failure about 1 o'clock on Monday morning. Deceased was born at Milesburg and was a son of Henry H. and Mary J. Kinne. He was unmarried and is survived by a sister, Miss Emma Kinne, with whom he made his home. He had retired several months ago from active participation in the brick works affairs on account of ill health. He was a member of the local lodge of the B. P. O. E. Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) from the late home. Interment in the Union cemetery at Bellefonte.

Mrs. Bridget Conlon Dead.

Mrs. Bridget Conlon, widow of Bernard Conlon, died Friday afternoon at her home at Altoona, after several months illness. Deceased was born in Dunkalk, County Louth, Ireland, sixty years ago, and had been a resident of Altoona for the past forty years. Surviving are the following children: James F. of Trinidad, Col.; Bernard J., Dennis M., Mary, Catherine and Anna, all of Altoona. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Lawrence Callan of Pittsburgh; Dennis Callan of Bellefonte; John, of Altoona; Mrs. Katherine Lenord of Lakeview, N. J.; Mrs. R. Mingay of Saratoga Springs, and Anna Callan of New York City. Interment was made in St. John's cemetery.

Mrs. Louise Mayes Dead.

Mrs. Louise Mayes, wife of Russell Mayes, died at her home in Howard on Wednesday, Sept. 10, following a brief illness. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Bohn of Oak Hall, where she was born 36 years ago. She was a member of the Lutheran church and a devoted wife and mother. In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, her parents and two sisters. The remains were taken to Boalsburg, where funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock on Friday morning by the Rev. W. J. Wagner, burial being made in the Boalsburg cemetery.

William B. McKibben Dead.

William B. McKibben, 21 years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Huston McKibben, of Lock Haven, died at the home of his parents on Tuesday, following a short illness of cerebral meningitis. In addition to his parents, deceased is survived by 3 sisters and a brother: Mrs. Clyde Johnson, State College; Jessie and Lucetta, at home, and Joseph, Clintondale. Funeral services will be conducted from the late home on Friday and interment made in Cedar Hill ceemtery.

Perry O. Ammerman Dead.

Perry Oliver Ammerman, well-known Tyrone resident and Penna. railroad engineer, died Tuesday morning, death resulting from tuberculosis and stomach trouble after an illness of several years. He was born at Unionville, March 2, 1868, the son of Joseph and Mrs. Margaret Ammerman. Mr. Ammerman went to Tyrone with his parents when 5 years of age and resided there all his life. At the age of 17, he entered the employ of the Penna. Railroad Co. and became an engineer on the Tyrone division. On March 22, 1890, he was united in marriage with Miss Salome Isenberg, of Alexandria, who survives with one son, Joseph, and two brothers, William Ammerman, of Clearfield, and Harry Ammerman, of Tyrone. Funeral services will be conducted at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Lowry Justice Dead.

Mrs. Lowry Justice, of Valley View, who contracted typhoid fever during the recent epidemic in that vicinity, died in the Centre County hospital on Tuesday evening. Deceased was 64 years old and was born in Blair County, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dickinson. She married Mr. Justice 46 years ago. He survives with the following children: John, Bellefonte; Mrs. Harry Bradley, Lewistown; Elmer, Coleville; James, Altoona; Edward, Pittsburgh; Susan, Tyrone; Mary, Bellefonte, and Dewey, at home. She is also survived by a brother, John Dickinson, of Mines. Funeral services will be held from the late home Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Meyers cemetery.

Levi W. Whippo Dead.

Levi W. Whippo, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Benner, on Tuesday, aged 89 years. Deceased was a well known resident of Bellefonte, and was a member of the Methodist church for 67 years. In addition to his wife and one brother, C. O. Whippo, of Jersey Shore, the following children survive: Walter, of Wilkinsburg; Mrs. M. E. Crook, Harrisburg; Mrs. L. G. Mulhar ger, of Cleveland; Mrs. A. M. Miller, Hastings, Minn.; Mrs. W. G. Bridgman, Paris, Ill.; Mrs. W. H. Benner, Bellefonte; Mrs. B. Walters, Keister, Pa.; W. C., Fredona, Kan.; and R. H., Wilcox, Pa. Funeral services will be held from the home on Friday afternoon.

George W. Crain Dead.

George W. Crain died at his residence in Decatur township, Clearfield County on Wednesday night of last week, after an illness of several months with complications. He was born near where he died and lived virtually all of his life in that vicinity. He was 74 years old. He is survived by his wife and two sons, John of Sandy Ridge and Oliver of Keystone Hill, and one daughter, Mrs. D. M. Hartman of Chester Hill. Two brothers and one sister also survive, Abednego Crain of Osceola Mills, and Henry Crain and Mrs. Jacob Garber of Stumptown, Clearfield County.

Clarence Cook Dead.

Clarence Cook, who for the past 6 years had been a patient in a hospital in Danville, died at that place last Sunday from complications. He was aged 72 years. Deceased was born in Howard and lived there his entire life. He is survived by a son, residing in Chicago, Ill., and 2 brothers, Robert and Walter, both of Howard. The remains were brought to Howard on Tuesday to the home of Walter Cook, where funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Howard.

Mrs. Fannie Brown Dead.

Mrs. Fannie Brown died at her home in Akron, O., last Friday. Deceased was a daughter of Mark D. Mooney, of Snow Shoe, and was well-known in Centre County. She was aged 42 years, 6 months and 2 days. An adopted daughter, Edna May, survives, in addition to the following sisters: Mrs. August Novatug, Akron, O.; Mrs. Paul Houtz, State College; Mrs. Earl Bevington, Cleveland, O. A brother, Mark T. Mooney, of West Virginia, also survives. Funeral services on Monday and interment was made in Akron.

John M. Garbrick Dead.

John Mitchell Garbrick died at his home on Howard St. early Tuesday morning, following an extended illness. Deceased was aged 68 years. He was a son of Joseph and Susan Garbrick, and was born in Centre County. He is survived by his wife and a brother, Joseph. Funeral services were conducted from the late home this afternoon by the Rev. Mr. Thompson. Interment in the Union cemetery.

Mrs. Francis Atwood Dead.

Mrs. Francis Atwood, for some time a resident of Bellefonte, died on Tuesday night at Wayne, nearby Philadelphia. Deceased, before her marriage, was Miss Emma Orbison. Her husband preceded her in death some years ago, recently going to Wayne. Surviving is a son, Francis. Burial will be made at Huntingdon on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Martin Driebelbis Dead.

Martin Driebelbis, of Ferguson Twp., died at his home on Wednesday morning after a short illness, aged 62 years. He is survived by his wife, 5 children, 5 sisters and 4 brothers. Funeral services will be held on Saturday morning in the Pine Hall church. Interment in Pine Hall cemetery.

State to Register Births.

Starting next week, the State Health Department at Harrisburg will mail to the parents of every new born child in Pennsylvania an official notice stating that the birth had been registered at Harrisburg. The mailing of the notices, which are in effect birth certificates, marks the opening of a new health service to the people of the state. Dr. Wilmer R. Batt, chief of the statistical bureau, will be in charge of the work. Each year according to Dr. Batt, there are 230,000 children born in Pennsylvania or an average of approximately 640 a day. Oftimes in the past the attending physician neglected to send a notice of the birth to the Health Department in Harrisburg. The parents had no way of knowing whether their child had been registered so that years later, when the child reached school or working age, he was unable to procure the birth certificate required.

Laughed at Death Sentence.

Solemnly sentenced to the death penalty for the murder of his wife in Big Bend in July, 1923, Mike Soos laughed heartily and told the Court at Ebensburg last Friday, "That will be fine." Still smiling, Soos returned to his seat among the prisoners in the courtroom as if he had been exonerated. He had been sentenced, however, to be electrocuted at Rockview. Before sentence had been passed Soos told the Court he had nothing to say.

Frank Dimeo Home Burned.

A fire of unknown origin started in the upper part of the house of Frank Dimeo, of Valley View, last Thursday afternoon, and due to inability to get water on the flames the house, together with all its contents, was completely destroyed. The owner carried $400 insurance on his household goods and $1 000 on the house which it is understood, only partially covers the loss.

Pretty Medieval Legend

The story of the custom of conveying a kiss by a cross, is that there was once a young man in the days of knighthood and chivalry and glittering deeds, named Sir Ronald du Bois, who was sent on a dangerous mission and was taken prisoner. He had left at home a fair and beautiful sweetheart, and it was his desire to send her some message. A bribed messenger promised to take some symbol to her but refused to bear a written message for fear he would be taken prisoner and the letter found. The knight therefore sent her a metal button from his coat on which he had scratched four letters at the four points of an X. The letters were k, i, s, s. Since this famous message, other lovers have used the X to stand for kisses, but omit the letters at each point. However the romantic story has never been forgotten.—Atlanta Constitution.

Herod's Wonderful Temple

Herod's temple, a structure of white marble, was built by Herod the Great at Jerusalem on the site of the Temple of Zerubbabel. Work was begun in 19 B. C., and in nine years and a half the temple was ready for use.

The building, says the Detroit News, was much larger than the preceding one and measured 100 cubits in length, and 70 cubits in breadth and 100 cubits in height. The stones composing this edifice were of large dimensions, some of them being 25 cubits long, 8 cubits high and 12 cubits thick. The temple, "which rose like a mount of gold and snow," was totally destroyed by the Romans under Titus in 70 A. D. The site is now occupied by the Mosque of Omar.

Age of Alligators

The Department of Agriculture says that the age of an alligator can only be determined by one who has had experience with these reptiles. Alligators grow very slowly and it is estimated that at fifteen years of age they are only two feet long; therefore, a 12-footer may reasonably be presumed to be seventy-five years of age. The rate of growth varies with animals in their wild state and those kept in captivity, and it is also governed by the amount as well as the type of food given.

Famous Old Church

This year sees the three hundred and sixty-fourth anniversary of the demolition of the magnificent Church of St. John at Perth, the restoration of which is now contemplated.

This is without doubt one of the most interesting churches in Scotland, says the Weekly Edinburgh Scotsman. Tradition ascribes its foundation to the Picts, but, whoever founded it, it is one of the earliest stone churches built in the country; and, in the Twelfth and Thirteenth centuries, as evinced both by ancient documents and by the surviving remnants of the edifice of that time, it was magnificent and extensive. The monk of Dunfermline, to whom it was granted, allowed it to fall into disrepair—a state of affairs which Robert the Bruce set about remedying, but the restoration was stayed by his death.

Viands Have Many Names

The wiseacre says that the expression "Welsh rabbit" is a perversion of Welsh rarebit, but this is a mistake. The man who first made this suggestion had no sense of humor.

As a matter of fact, the table furnishes many examples of names of viands which have an allas of the same humorous description as Welsh rabbit. Sailors, for instance, call a shark steak "Folkestone beef, and fisher folk commonly call smoked herring "Digby chicken."

A similar instance to Welsh rabbit is provided by poached egg on toast being known as "Scotch woodcock," and an Australian leg of mutton as "Colonial goose."—London Times.

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Pine Grove Mills.

Hugh C. Dale and M. A. Dreibelbis are on the sick list. The latter's condition is serious.

Jack Frost hastened the filling of silos.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quinn motored to Beaver Falls last Saturday to spend several days with the former's brother, Jack, and family.

J. H. McCracken, accompanied by his sisters, Lizzie and Mary, motored to Bellefonte last Saturday. Harry visited his chum, J. H. Bressler, at the hospital, and found him convalescing nicely. The ladies visited the bargain counters.

Miss Esther Sparr, a trained nurse at Williamsburg, is spending the vacation period among her many friends in the valley, making her headquarters at the Fred Fry home at Fairbrook.

Baileyville Camp, No. 190, United Sportsmen of Penna. will hold their monthly meeting this evening, the 25th, at Baileyville, at 8 o'clock. Be sure and attend.

Paul Bailey, wife and daughter, of Martinsburg, spent last Friday at the J. F. Sausserman home at Baileyville.

William Biddle and wife and son, and Olie Meek, of WarriorsMark, greeted old friends at Rock Springs last Friday, and were bidders at the Sausserman farm sale, for which $3600 was offered, but not sold.

J. B. Tinsman, of New Jersey, is here on his annual fishing trip, whipping Spruce Creek, and getting his share.

Fred Andrews, of Julian, spent Sunday with his brother, Allen, in the Glades.

Class No. 97 of the Boalsburg Lutheran Sunday school will serve chicken and waffles for 50 cents per plate on Saturday evening.

Miss M. B. Meek suffered an attack of vertigo on Monday of last week, but is now considerably improved. Miss Clara McCracken has been the Good Samaritan attending her.

George Rossman and sister and John Rossman and wife spent the past 3 weeks on a fishing trip on Lake Michigan, getting about all they wanted, and returning home on Friday.

Our mutual friend, John Reynolds slipped on a roof which he was shingling last Wednesday and sustained a broken shoulder blade and some ugly gashes on the head that required 30 stitches to close. Although 74 years old he is bearing his troubles bravely.

Jacob Harpster, who spent the summer at Gatesburg, is again behind the counter in the Rossman store at Rock Springs. He swings the yardstick and handles the molasses with rare skill.

Cyrus B. McWilliams and sister, Mary, were entertained at supper on Friday evening at the home of Miss Nanny McWilliams, at Rock Springs.

J. B. Baumgardner skirmished around among the farmers last week and loaded a double-decker with sheep and lambs at Penna. Furnace on Tuesday for the New York market.

A ball game is slated Saturday between our team and Lock Haven on the Anderson field.

We have an autumn wedding slated for the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roller, of Williamsburg, accompanied by Miss Grace Roller, a graduate nurse of Jefferson hospital, Philadelphia, were entertained at supper on Sunday at the Fred Fry home. Miss Grace is spending her vacation among friends in Centre and Blair counties.

Mrs. Mary Wykroff and son, Addison, were Rock Spring visitors the latter end of the week at the W. R. Port home, seeing that the young couple get comfortably fixed for the winter.

Dr. Peterson had a close call for his life last Friday. While making professional calls in his new Chevrolet the car balked on the railroad crossing near Spruce Creek just as a locomotive was approaching. The engine crashed into the car while Dr. Peterson still had one foot on the running-board, but he fortunately escaped injury. The car was smashed into kindling wood. He returned home the next day with a new "Chevvy."

A family home-coming of the Burwell clan was enjoyed last Sunday at the Sallie Burwell residence, on the Branch. One of the main features was a sumptuous supper served by mother Burwell.

Our village blacksmith W. A. Collins is putting down a concrete walk at his mansion on East Main Street. Forms are up for a concrete pavement at the churches on West Main Street. Bert Ward deserves to be patted on the back, as the improvements are due to his energy and pluck.

Robert Kustaborder and wife motored over from WarriorsMark and spent Sunday at the home of the former's brother, James, nearby town. On their return they took with them his father, Daniel, who is in rather poor health. For the present the latter will reside with Robert.

Rev. Mr. Curry and wife, from Potter County, motored through the valley last week. When east of town their car skidded and turned turtle, mashing the windshield and fenders. Mrs. Curry had an arm broken, while Mr. Curry escaped with a few bruises. Kind friends cared for them during the emergency.

There has been considerable thieving done of late. While Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gilliland were attending a public sale at his mother's home their cellar was broken into and looted of most of the meat on hand, as well as 50 quarts of canned fruits. About the same time 3 dozen chickens were stolen from Aust. Whitmer.

Boalsburg.

Edward Weber, of Huntingdon, is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher, of Sunbury, visited with relatives here from Saturday until Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Segner spent Saturday with relatives in Pine Grove Mills.

Rev. W. W. Moyer, of Steelton, will preach in the Reformed church Sunday evening, Sept. 28.

Mrs. Mallory, of Altoona, was a recent visitor with her sister, Mrs. J. F. Kimport.

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Wilson and daughter, of Pine Grove, Schuylkill County, spent part of last week at the home of C. E. Sohl.

Mrs. Charles Kuhn visited in Elmira, N. Y., over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bouse and sons spent Sunday at the Wm. Reish home.

Miss Gladys Hazel, of Petersburg, spent the weekend at her home here.

Charles Hosterman, of Detroit, Mich., is spending his vacation at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stover and 2 grandchildren were Sunday visitors at the Samuel Stover home in Marstellar.

Major and Mrs. VanAllen, of Philadelphia, and Lieut. and Mrs. Colt and daughter, of Northumberland, spent the weekend at the Officers Club here.

Misses Mary Reish and Nora Miller were visitors at the Mrs. Wesley Miller home in State College on Sunday.

Mrs. Vera Homan and Mrs. Warren Homan, of Centre Hall, spent Saturday with the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Reish.

Miss Maude Houtz went to Irwin on Thursday, where she will teach school.

Mr. and Mrs Jacob Felty and Mrs. Mollie Beck, of Altoona, were over Sunday visitors with relatives here.

Mrs. Paul Stairs, of Greensburg, and Mrs. Herbert Hunter and son, of Charleston, W. Va., spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Houtz, of Kirkland, Ill., spent part of last week with the former's nephew Frank Ream.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fortney, of Amboy, Ill., are visiting relatives here.

The ladies of the Lutheran church will hold a chicken and waffle supper Saturday evening, Sept. 29. Tickets 50 cents.

Real Estate Transfers.

Recorder Lloyd A. Stover has recorded the following real estate transfers.

Amelia Swartz to R. L. Markle, tract in Walker Twp; $250.

Bellefonte Trust Company, exr. and trustee, to Catherine Turner, tract in Bellefonte; $200.

Mabel Morrison, et bar, to E. W. Gardner, tract in Liberty Twp; $50.

W. R. Shope, et ux, to N. S. Dunlap, tract in Bellefonte; $4,275.

Caroline S. VanDine, et bar, to Clayton R. Orton, et ux, tract in State College; $8,750.

Anna T. H. Henszey, et bar, to J. H. Waring, tract in State College; $800.

Kate Lyon, et al, to Ada J. Beezer, tract in Spring Twp; $250.

Clarence D. Johnston to Bessie J. Condo, tract in Howard; $3,000.

Harvey G. Jones, et ux, to Lewis Stine, et al, tract in Philipsburg; $1200.

Thomas Bowes, et ux, to Mary E. Casselberry, tract in Howard Twp; $5.

M. H. Neff, admr., to M. E. Casselberry, tract in Howard Twp; $22.

Lewis J. Casselberry, et ux, to Laura M. Gardner, tract in Howard Twp; $500.

Mrs. Lela A. Cole to E. L. Morris, et ux. to Laura M. Gardner, tract in Bellefonte; $875.

Commissioners of Centre County to Lloyd Woomer, tract in Curtin Twp; $18.32.

Horace G. Hunter to David R. Tomas, tract in Halfmoon Twp; $50.

William I. Miller, et ux, to Raymond Riggle, tract in Huston Twp; $50.

Robert Baney to Martin Cooney, tract in Bellefonte; $100.

Mary Bradley to A. L. McGinley, Jr., et ux, tract in Bellefonte; $2,000.

I. G. Gordon Foster, et al, to Charles E. Govier, tract in State College; $200.

Clement Beckwith, et ux, to Charles O. Whippo, et al, trustee, tract in Worth Twp; $125.

Almeda Reeder, et bar, to Austin C. Bathurst, et al, tract in Howard Twp; $1.

W. E. Hoffman, et al, to W. E. Hoffman Company, tract in Philipsburg; $27,326.

William C. Wyle, et ux, to C. Sumner Musser, tract in Harris Twp; $150.

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COURT IN SESSIONS

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alleged he sold the horse to Rowland Lucas, agent for the defendant, but that the defendant paid the hand-mony. That on the following day the defendant sent Rowland Lucas to the home of the plaintiff with a check for $65 in full payment for the horse and wagon, and that the horse was delivered to Lucas. Payment on the check was stopped by defendant on the ground that the horse was not what it had been represented to be, but that it was found to be a balker and kicker. Verdict in favor of defendant.

Commonwealth vs. Carrie White. Indicted for forgery or passing a forged check. Prosecutor, C. H. Foster. According to the Commonwealth's testimony a woman came to the store of the prosecutor at State College and purchased a pair of boy's boots, offering a check for thirty some dollars in payment. Mr. Foster cashed the check after asking the lady her name and being informed that she was Mrs. George Dale, of Rock. The check was drawn in the name of J. Howard Musser, another merchant of State College, in favor of Mrs. George Dale and endorsed by Mrs. George Dale. After the check had passed through different banks it reached the paying bank where it was pronounced spurious. The defendant denied all knowledge of the passing of the check, swearing that she had not been in State College on the day the check was cashed. A Bellefonte banker gave it as his opinion that the spurious check was not in the handwriting of the defendant. Verdict of not guilty, but pay costs,

Commonwealth vs. Dora Shope. Prosecutor, Harry Dukeman. Charged with forgery. Nolle pros. entered.

Commonwealth vs. Doyle M. Kioski. The defendant in this case is charged with statutory offense by Clara Deitz. The Court gave binding instructions to the jury to find the defendant not guilty.

Commonwealth vs. Foster Walker, statutory offense. Prosecutrix Alice M. Sayers, verdict of guilty.

Commonwealth vs. William Dando; manufacture, possession and sale of intoxicating liquor. Discharged on account of lack of evidence. Jack White, also of Julian, connected with the same case, received a suspended sentence and ordered to pay costs.

Com. vs Harry Brooks; violation of liquor laws. Sentenced to pay costs, $1 fine and 6 months to 1 year in jail.

Com. v Grafford Casher; statutory offense. Guilty.

Com. vs Wayne White; statutory offense. Guilty.

Com. vs S. McLaughlin; operating power vehicle while under influence of liquor. Not guilty.

Justice Bell Here Oct. 8.

The Get Out-The-Vote Caravan of The League of Women Voters will be led by the "Justice bell." This bell is an exact replica of the famous Liberty Bell, which is kept in Independence Hall, Philadelphia. It toured the state in 1915 in behalf of women suffrage, and was rung for the first time in 1922, when Tennessee ratified the Suffrage Amendment and made it a law of the land. In 1915 the bell was in Centre County for three days. On the 8th of October the Caravan will enter the county at Nittany at 3.30 in the afternoon, will proceed to Bellefonte, where the members of the tour will be entertained over night, and the following morning, the 9th, will leave by way of Bald Eagle Valley, for Philipsburg. On the evening of October 8th there will be a meeting in the Diamond where members of the party will make addresses. Any one wishing to accompany the Caravan, while in the County, will please communicate with Mrs. Robert Mills Beach, County Chairman.

Kiwanis News.

At the regular Tuesday meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Bush House, Judge Ellis L. Orvis was the principal speaker and delivered a marvelously concise and clear-cut talk on the "Constitution." A number of out-of-town guests were present, also representatives of three local newspapers. The weekly attendance prize, a large box of candy given by George Bingaman, of the American Lime & Stone Co., was drawn by Kiwanian John G. Love, who immediately opened it and passed it around to the crowd. A very funny imitation of Harry Lauder delighted the crowd. The impersonator was Mr. Alec, of Port Matilda, a guest of Charles Beatty. Delegates elected to attend the state convention at Greensburg, Oct. 7 and 8, were Kiwanians Arthur H. Sloop and W. Harrison Walker.

Chicken and Waffle Supper.

The ladies of the Port Matilda Baptist church will serve a chicken and waffle supper in the I. O. O. F. hall at Port Matilda on Saturday evening, Sept. 27, from 5 until 9 o'clock. Ice cream, cake and pie. Proceeds for parsonage fund. A cordial invitation is extended by these ladies to all. Come and bring your friends with you and enjoy the evening.

By Order of the Committee.

Marriage Licenses.

Register Harry Rossman has issued the following marriage licenses:

John B. Kachik,	Clarence
Mary Baisel,	"
Irvin E. McClellan,	Centre Hall
Elsie Grove,	" "
E. Frederick Brouse,	Boalsburg
Edwina C. Wieland,	Linden Hall
William M. Corrigan,	Sandy Ridge
Charlotte Viola Barr,	Birmingham
Frank H. Wolfe,	Bellefonte
Marjorie M. Woomer,	"

"Y" DRIVE WEEK

Aim to Increase Association Membership List to 500.

Directors of the Y. M. C. A. have planned a lively schedule for the fall and winter months and, judging from the interest already shown, a large number of Bellefonte's men and boys will take advantage of it. An organized effort is being made this week to push the total membership of the Association up to 500, and every loyal citizen of our home town is asked to boost.

Two divisions of 5 teams each, with 5 men to a team, will make the canvass. Division "A" is headed by Frank M. Crawford and Division "B" by Harry M. Murtorff.

Some of the many privileges offered by the Association are:

A well equipped gymnasium under competent supervision.

Four first class bowling alleys, with attendants in charge.

Bowling teams and leagues.

Lockers and shower baths.

Boxing and wrestling.

Social and game rooms.

Dormitory for men.

Hi Y Club for High School boys.

Hikes and camps for younger boys.

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors it was decided to make a reduction in the price of membership to young men, bringing the rate to $5 a year. The purpose of this is to extend the privileges of the Association to the many young men of Bellefonte who are not members at the present time. The Junior membership of $3 includes boys from 10 to 15 years of age. As soon as the membership canvass is over a meeting will be called to organize bowling and basket ball teams, and their schedules will open about the middle of October.

Penny-A-Word Column

FOXES—bought. Young foxes wanted. Toner A. Hugg. Milesburg, Pa.

FOR SALE—One good dwellinghouse in first class shape in Milesburg. T. A. Hugg.

FOR SALE—Good Safe; $25. Cost $100. E. I. Gillen, 122 East Bishop St., Bellefonte, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE—78 acre farm, 1½ miles from Howard. Apply to Mrs. T. E. Thomas, Howard, Pa.

FOR SALE—Farms, town property ready cut houses and silos. You will save money. See McVey Co., Bellefonte, Pa. tf.

WANTED—Girls to clerk in Drug Store and Soda Fountain, wages $15 per week; also girls for restaurant. P. O. 311 State College, Pa. 34-2t

MAKE MONEY—During spare time taking orders for name cards. 20% commission. Write The U. S. Card Company, 340 E. Princess St. York, Pa. 1-t

WANTED—Man with car to sell complete line low priced Tires and Tubes $100.00 per week and expenses. Sterlingworth Tire Co., 3765 Sterling, E. Liverpool, Ohio.

WANTED—Electrical Appliance Salesman. One with some experience preferred. We have some very good openings for the right men. Keystone Power Corp.

WANTED—An able-bodied man to take care and drive team, married man prefered. Call at at the Center County Fuel & Building Supply Co. Bellefonte Pa. Both Phones, Bell 319. 16-tfc

LADIES WORK AT HOME—Pleasant, easy sewing on your machine. Whole or part time. Highest possible prices paid. For full information address L. Jones, Box 2, Olney, Ill.

LUMBERMAN wanted to cut, stock, saw and load (either or all) 400,000 ft. lumber with mine material, on 75 acre tract on J. M. Brockerhoff and Prof. Gardner farms in Buffalo Run between Fillmore and Briarly, Patton Twp., Centre Co. R. A. Smith, Tyrone, Pa.

WANTED—Persons who are planning for any building to come in contact with the Undersigned to save money on Cement, Sand, Limestone, Plaster, Brick, Roofing, Terra Cotta Pipe, Nails, Stucco Materials, Etc. See us first or you may regret it later. Center County Fuel & Building Supply Co. Bellefonte Pa. Both Phones, Bell 319. 16-tfc

WANTED—High-grade business men with following in their community capable of being district representatives for securities (no stocks) sold on new and unusual plan. Principal and interest guaranteed. Provides means for establishing estates and permanent income from savings. Address P. O. Box 858, Harrisburg, Penna.

FOR SALE—Brick house on East High Street, opposite Court House; residence of late Dr. E. S. Dorworth. Parlor, living room, dining-room, kitchen and pantry on first floor. Four sleeping rooms bath and sleeping porch on second floor. Large sleeping room on third floor. Can give possession May 1st. Inquire, Chas. E. Dorworth.

$500 For 50 Words.

First prize for letter suggesting the best way to use the cleanest, purest, most economical Toilet Soap. Forty-two other cash prizes, making a total of $1,500 in gold to tell the merits of Sheffield's Satinet Soap for soft skin. $100 for the best advertising slogan. This is your opportunity to get money for business, or pleasure, an education, or free yourself of debt. Some one will win this cash. Why not you? Send stamp for full information and rules. Sheffield Laboratories, Aurora, Illinois. (Dept. 24)

Advertise in "The Republican."

NOTICE.

Of annual corporate meeting of CENTRE COUNTY HOSPITAL.

Notice is hereby given that the annual corporate meeting of the members of Centre County Hospital will be held at the Court House in Bellefonte, Pa. on Monday, October 13, 1924, at 8:00 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing the fifteen Trustees as hereinafter indicated, and to transact such other business as shall properly come before said meeting.

In accordance with Article IV of the By-Laws of the Centre County Hospital previously adopted and now in force, the fifteen Trustees to be elected are to be divided into three classes, each class to be composed of five members of the Board; those of the first class to serve for the term of one year, those of the second class to serve for the term of two years, and those of the third class to serve for the term of three years respectively.

District No. I, consisting of Bellefonte Borough and Spring, Marion, Walker and Benner Townships, is entitled to elect eight of said Trustees, five thereof in the first class and the remaining three thereof in the second class.

District No. II, consisting of State College Borough and College, Ferguson, Half Moon, Harris and Patton Townships, is entitled to elect two of said Trustees, both in the second class.

District No. III, consisting of Centre Hall Borough and Potter and Gregg Townships; District No. IV, consisting of Millheim Borough and Haines, Miles and Penn Townships; District No. V, consisting of Unionville Borough and Union, Huston, Worth and Taylor Townships; District No. VI, consisting of Howard Borough, Milesburg Borough and Boggs, Curtin, Howard and Liberty Townships; and District No. VII, consisting of Snow Shoe Borough and Snow Shoe and Burnside Townships; are each entitled to elect one of said Trustees, aggregating five Trustees, all of said last mentioned five Trustees in the third class.

The eight Trustees to which District No. I is entitled shall be assigned to the first and second classes respectively, in this order, in accordance with an alphabetical arrangement of their last names, that is to say, the five Trustees whose last names begin with earlier letters of the alphabet shall be assigned to the first class and the remaining three of said Trustees shall be assigned to the second class.

Each of the six Districts, Nos. II, III, IV, V, VI, and VII, is entitled to hold a preliminary meeting of the members of the corporation resident in each of said Districts respectively, at a designated place within their respective Districts at a convenient time prior to the above mentioned date, and then and there to elect the Trustee or Trustees to which each of said Districts is entitled respectively, and to report the result of such preliminary elections to said annual meeting.

The election at said annual meeting shall be confined to the election of Trustees for District No. I and of any additional Trustees not elected for said other Districts at such preliminary elections.

Printed copies of the By-Laws of the Centre County Hospital can be obtained on application to the Secretary

ALL PERSONS OVER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE AND ALL CORPORATIONS OF WHATEVER AGE, IRRESPECTIVE OF HIS, HER, OR THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE, THAT HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE RECENT HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN FUND, OR HAVE OTHERWISE CONTRIBUTED TO THIS HOSPITAL DURING THE YEAR ENDING AT SAID ANNUAL MEETING AT LEAST THE SUM OF ONE DOLLAR IN CASH, ARE MEMBERS OF THE CORPORATION ENTITLED TO VOTE FOR THE ELECTION OF TRUSTEES AS ABOVE INDICATED, AND TO TAKE PART IN THE DELIBERATIONS OF SAID MEETING.

By order of the Board,

RALPH MALLORY,
Secretary.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Centre County, to make distribution of the balance in the hands of THE COMMONWEALTH TRUST COMPANY, of Harrisburg, Administrator of the estate of James A. Beaver, late of Bellefonte Borough, deceased, as appears by the first and final account duly filed and confirmed absolute, to and among those entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment, at the office of Spangler and Walker, Crider's Exchange Building, in the Borough of Bellefonte, on Tuesday, the 7th day of October, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock A. M., when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims or be forever after debarred from coming in on said funds.

N. B. SPANGLER,
Auditor.
36-3t

NOTICE.

PROPOSALS are invited from general building contractors for furnishing all labor and materials necessary or required for the mortar and concrete, masonry, damp-proofing, terra cotta, structural and miscellaneous steel, plastering, metal furring and lathing, marble, sheet metal and roofing, carpentry, painting, glazing, hardware, equipment, electric and other work as set forth in the plans and specifications for the construction of a New Pavillion and New Boiler plant to the Bellefonte Hospital, at Bellefonte, Pa. Plans and specifications and proposal forms for this work may be obtained from Horatio S. Moore, Chairman of the Building Committee, Bellefonte, Pa. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids as the interests of the Hospital may appear. 41

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Alexander G. Morris, late of Bellefonte Borough deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons owing to the said decedent are required to make payment and those having claims against the said estate are requested to present their claims duly proven to

ELIZA EGBERT MORRIS,
THOMAS K. MORRIS,
CHARLES A. MORRIS
Bellefonte Pa.
FRANK K. LUKENBACH,
Tyrone, Pa.
Executors.

W. HARRISON WALKER,
Atty. for Estate.

Notice of Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Board of Pardons, at Harrisburg, Pa., on Wednesday, October 15th, 1924, for a pardon for Edward Bannon, now confined in the Western Penitentiary, at Pittsburgh, Pa., under sentence imposed by the Hon. Henry C. Quigley to Nos. 18 and 19, December Sessions 1916, Court of Quarter Sessions of Centre County.

M. WARD FLEMING,
Attorney for Thomas Bannon
Petitioner

Keystone Power Corporation.

The Board of Directors of Keystone Power Corporation has declared quarterly dividend No. 10 of one and three-quarters (1¾%) per cent., covering the quarter ending September 30th, 1924, payable upon the 7% Preferred Stock of the Company on October 1st, 1924, to stockholders of record at the close of business September 20, 1924.

C. C. McBRIDE, Treasurer

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HEADS DEPARTMENT OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Wherever Frank G. McCormick, of Sioux Falls, S. D., went in his professional work as an attorney, following the close of the World war, he joined up with the American Legion post and became active in it. He did not think that his home town was the only place where he could engage successfully in the work of his organized comrades of the war days. He went in, wherever he might be, and made a place for himself in the local post.

Today Frank McCormick is commander of the Department of South Dakota of the Legion. He was elected to that post at the recent state convention and is setting about the new duties which devolve upon him in the same spirit which won for him recognition in his elevation to that office.

Frank G. McCormick.

After his discharge in 1919, Mr. McCormick returned to Vermilion, S. D., as a member of the coaching staff of the state university there. He joined the Vermilion post of the Legion that year. In 1920 he went to Akron, Ohio, where he was employed in the legal department of a tire and rubber company. He joined the Legion there. When he moved to Sioux Falls in 1922, he joined there.

Entering the first officers' training camp at Fort Snelling, Mr. McCormick was commissioned a second lieutenant and assigned to the Three Hundred and Thirty-seventh Machine Gun battalion in the Eighty-eighth division. He served with this outfit overseas and was discharged as a first lieutenant in June, 1919.

Born in Genoa, Neb., on November 5, 1894, Mr. McCormick attended school at Omaha, Neb., and at Wagner, S. D., and graduated with the degree of bachelor of arts and bachelor of laws. He is now practicing law at Sioux Falls and directing athletics at Columbus college.

Curiosity Nearly Cost Life of American Boy

One of the most sensational escapes from a German military camp during the World war was made by Legionnaire Harry Warren Atkinson of Chicago, who recently related the details of the escape to Capt. George H. Mallon, chairman of the Hennepin county (Minn.) board of commissioners.

In October, 1918, Atkinson was a prisoner at the Rheims temporary prison camp. Each day he saw a German aviation officer drop down on the prison camp and leave his machine while he walked over about half a mile on a trip of inspection. One day Atkinson thought he would try an airplane ride, although he had never driven one before. That, however, did not deter him. He got in and headed for the French lines in a German plane. French anti-aircraft guns soon found the German Fokker. At 3,000 feet the Fokker was hit. The plane started down. When Atkinson awoke he was in a plaster-of-paris cast in a hospital. In due course of time he was given the Legion of Honor.

Largest and Smallest Planes

Aircraft of every description, including the smallest plane ever built and successfully flown and the largest now in use by the United States army, participated in the second annual aviation meet given by C. Fayette Staples post, American Legion, at Old Orchard, Mass., on Labor day. Rear Admiral W. F. Fullam, of the United States navy, who is connected with the aeronautical branch of the service, was the guest of honor during the meet.

Needed Their Wild Horses

Recently a group of horsemen started out into the deserts of Utah with the determination of capturing the "Three Grays," wild horse kings of the desert, who had defied efforts of all the broncho busters of the past in catching them. The horsemen were American Legionnaires of Cedar City, and they wanted the wild horses for their third annual rodeo at Cedar City.

President's Greeting

A message of greeting from President Coolidge to members of the 28 posts of the American Legion in the District of Columbia as representative of the Legion's membership in probably every state, was read at the opening of the sixth annual convention of the District department of the Legion recently.

The president's message stated in part: 'In their intimate contact with government agencies dealing with the great national army of former service men, the Legion has shown uniform loyalty and readiness to sustain the efforts of the government."

WILL SPEED WORK TO AID VETERANS

Decentralization of the United States veterans' bureau, whereby medical claims and compensation awards affecting thousands of World war veterans can now be made in the field, has been ordered by Frank T. Hines, director of the bureau, in a general order calling for the organization of fifty-one regional offices in as many cities where the bureau's activities are greatest.

The Reed-Johnson veterans' bill, sponsored by the American Legion and passed by the last congress, called for the decentralization of the bureau's activities. It was pointed out by Watson B. Miller, chairman of the American Legion national rehabilitation committee, in framing the Reed-Johnson bill, that the regional system of handling disabled veteran cases would speed up the work and enable the bureau to pass upon more cases than could otherwise be handled.

Decentralization will supplant the "paper rating" system, which has been in vogue, whereby a veteran's case is passed upon without the claimant ever having had personal contact with the bureau officials deciding his claim.

The new regional offices will be charged with the proper conduct of the bureau's business in the territory for which they are designated and will have, subject to final action by the director in case of appeal, the following powers:

1. Examining of claimants and beneficiaries, the making of medical ratings and awarding of compensation claims.

2. Granting of vocational training, supervision of training and obtaining employment opportunities.

3. Granting of medical, surgical, dental, hospital care, convalescent care and necessary and reasonable after-care.

4. When specifically authorized, making payments for compensation, training allowance and for administration expenditures.

Frank Luke, Jr., Post Bears Name of a Hero

The Frank Luke, Jr., post of the American Legion of Phoenix, Ariz., bears the name of a hero of the World war, according to a letter which was received by the post adjutant recently from a comrade of Luke's at the front in France. The letter read:

"I have just learned that your post is named after a brave man who was in my outfit in France. Frank Luke was one of our flying officers, while I was merely a mechanic, but we rejoiced in his victories and shared in them in our modest way. When these boys failed to return to our aerodrome by dark, we spent the better part of the night shooting flares to direct them to our field. Then when the news finally reached us that Frank Luke had had a forced landing behind the German lines, that rather than be made a prisoner, he stood the Huns off with his automatic until a Mauser bullet struck him low, we suffered a glorious sorrow and enshrined Frank Luke in our hearts and memories. Gentlemen, I wish to ask if it would be possible to admit to your organization and post one of Frank Luke's humblest admirers.

Sincerely,
JOHN B. DAVERON,
Ray, Ariz."

Legion Men Help Fight California Forest Fires

The American Legion and the Native Sons of the Golden West recently were active in fighting the forest fires that have been ravaging California's timber lands and redwood forests. James F. Collins, department commander of the Legion, and Edward J. Lynch, grand president of the N. S. G. W., in a communication to the people of the state, declared:

"The magnificent forests of California must be preserved. California's redwoods are making their last stand against the encroachments of civilization on the oldest living things on earth. They have thrived on California soil, but their existence is now menaced. All loyal Californians must aid in this great work, and, if we can secure the co-operation of the army in patrolling the forests, timber areas and national parks to prevent the spread of fires and reduce the menace of disastrous conflagrations, we will indeed be fortunate."

Name Squares for Heroes

West Springfield (Mass.) post of the American Legion has a committee at work upon a plan for naming certain squares in the town in honor of West Springfield men who gave their lives in the service of their country during the World war. A ceremony dedicating the squares will be held on Armistice day in November.

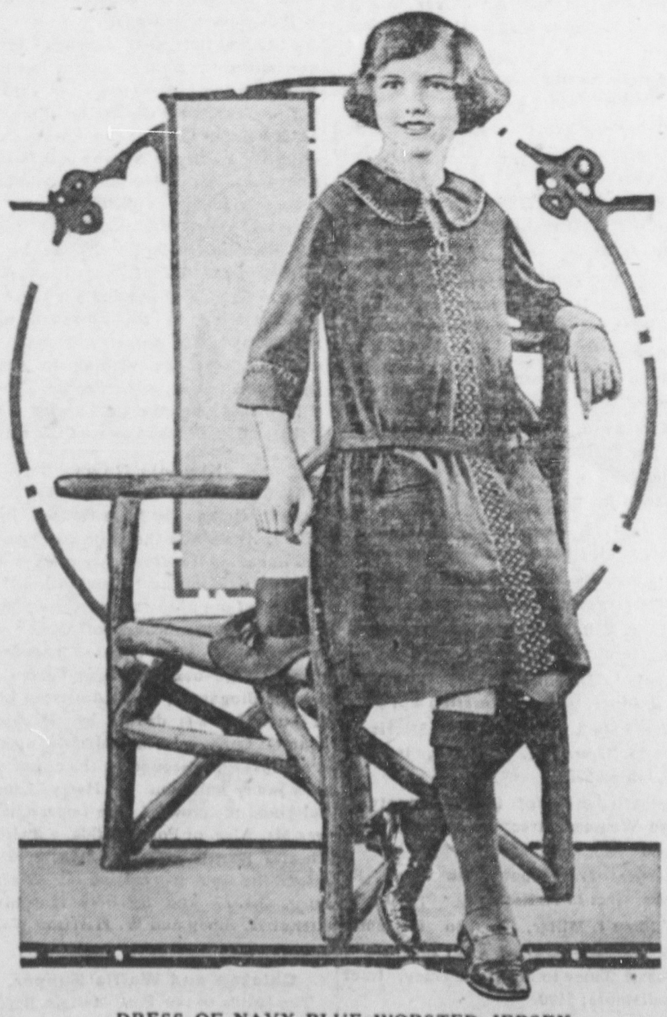
ENSEMBLE COSTUME IN FAVOR; FROCKS FOR WINSOME JUNIORS

AT THE beginning of the season it looked as if there were little chance for the presentation of anything new in fall suit and dress modes. In Fashion's court the straight-line silhouette still ruled as favorite and the laws of the Medes and Persians were not more unchangeable. Even so, stylists succeeded in giving to the fall modes a new and important note—the ensemble costume—and it is making a great success. In the ensemble costume the dress and wrap to be worn with it are made for each other. They employ the same fabrics and are closely allied. Each can be worn without the other, but they look best when they are together.

OF FLAMINGO CLOTH AND CREPE DE CHINE

Ever since the debut of this new protege of fashion, designers have been busy ringing changes on it. With the aid of tunics, tiered skirts, apron tunics, band trimmings and other of the season's style points they have established the close relationship of the coat or other wrap, and the dress worn under it. The picture shows a fine ensemble suit of flamingo cloth and crepe de chine in which the one-piece dress has a long bodice of crepe de chine and skirt of the cloth set to somewhere past fourteen, the female of the species finds herself classed as a "junior." She may graduate out of the "little folks" class at six, or she may belong with the juniors until she is sixteen—it all depends upon the appearance of the young person herself. At any rate, no one reminds her that this period was once libeled as the awkward age—for stylists, that specialize, make clothes for her calculated to express her winsomeness.

It almost goes without saying that her dresses are simple—this is the foundation of their charm, and neatness is next in order. This is essential to happiness and is a part of the juniors' education which it is a crime to neglect. There is plenty of variety in these simple frocks for girls, provided by different sorts of fabrics in varied patterns and by needlework and other finishings, as accessories—collars, cuffs, belts. The dress pictured in navy blue worsted jersey, finished with hand-stitchery, in bright colored silk floss, cannot be improved upon. It has a narrow belt of the material, a little patch pocket at the right side and fastens at the neck with a button and loop. It is pretty in other shades of blue or in brown, henna, or other dark colors.



DRESS OF NAVY BLUE WORSTED JERSEY

There are many plaids in pretty color combinations, that need almost nothing in the way of decoration. A few metal buttons and hand-stitched collars and cuffs of colored linen, to harmonize with the dress, make the prettiest finish for them. Many of them are long sleeved, with narrow girdles of the plaid fabric, that fasten with a metal buckle.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Health Talks No. 5

CONSTIPATION

The human body has been compared with a steam engine. Drawing energy from food as fuel, and eliminating useless waste matter, the comparison is a good one. Proper elimination of waste matter is as important as eating good food. Carelessness in this regard leads to constipation and more serious ills.

Lack of energy, headache and sleeplessness are a few of the many signs of constipation. At the very first indication take steps to prevent the condition becoming chronic. Should it already be chronic the same treatment over a longer period will bring relief. This treatment merely consists of taking one or two Jaques' Capsules after meals. A safe, efficient remedy. Helps digest food. Tones up entire system. Corrects constipation. 60 cents at druggists, or by mail from Jaques Capsule Co., Plattsburg, N. Y.

Believed All Had "Double"

It was a commonly accepted belief among the early Egyptians that every man, gentle or simple, was born with a double personality. They were taught that a second self, or "Ka" was created with him, and that this Ka represented him in the spirit world throughout his life. When death came, the Ka was free to wander at will. If food and drink were not furnished for the Ka, then it would wander about in search of it. A portrait-statue of the deceased was always made so that the Ka might recognize the home prepared for it. The Ka of Tutankhamen has frequently been mentioned of late. A photo shows a Ka statue carved a thousand years ago, and accounted the finest known example of ancient Egyptians' sculptural art. The face and figure are of wood; the eyes are of quartz and rock crystal, with eyelids of bronze.

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When She Landed Him

Together they broke the wishbone, and she had the longest piece.

"Now, what shall I wish for?" she mused. "I really can't think."

"Oh, wish for anything," he brilliantly suggested.

But still her brow wore a puckered frown.

"Oh, well, if it's as hard as all that, I'll wish for you," he said at last, obligingly

"John," she cried happily, "you really wish for me? Then you can have me! This is sudden!"

Much Honey in Tree Trunk

In taking up a big black oak on an Orwell (Vt.) farm, A. A. Saunders and his son Dorus found a cavity in its trunk twenty inches in diameter and six feet in length completely filled with honey. Two hundred pounds were taken from the tree, and the owner of the farm, Frank Charlton, was present when the bees were transferred from the tree, and received for his share two ten-gallon milk cans full of honey.

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Pencil Marks 45 Years Old

Pencil marks on a beach pole at Cape May, N. J., supposedly written June 28, 1879, have weathered the elements without fading, according to Frank Digman there, who recently discovered the old pole when tearing down the tower of a beach bathhouse. The rains, sun and wind of 45 years have hardly dimmed the writing, he says.

He Wished to Know

"Mercy sakes alive!" ejaculated Mrs. Johnson in the midst of her reading. "A doctor says here in the paper that you can't keep healthy by bathing alone!"

"H'm!" responded Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "How many people does he say ort to bathe together, and when and whur?"—Kansas City Star.

Old Superstition

An ancient superstition, which prevails in some parts of England and America, is that in leap year "beans grow on the wrong side of the pod."

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Eagle and Caribou Fast Disappearing

Bounty Threatens to Wipe Out National Bird.

New York.—Edwin A. Osborne of Richmond Hill has just returned from a two months' trip in Alaska and the Northwest, where he made a survey of animal life and forestry conditions on which he will report to the Permanent Wild Life Protection Fund, of which William T. Hornaday is the head.

Mr. Osborne said he had observed the bald eagle was being slowly but surely exterminated in Alaska under the working of the bounty paid by the government for its destruction. The imposition of the bounty was secured, he said, by the influence of fox farmers and salmon canners, who said young foxes and salmon of all ages were the food of the eagles and they needed protection against them.

On the contrary, Mr. Osborne says he found there has been no reduction in the mortality of young foxes since the campaign was started, even though great numbers of eagles have been killed by the bounty hunters.

The fox farmers, Mr. Osborne says, maintain that either the eagles must be exterminated or commercial fox breeding given up. He found no justification in the facts he observed for such an extreme view, and said that with proper protection of the fox enclosures the amount of damage done by eagles would be negligible.

The naturalist does not urge, he said, that there should be complete protection of eagles, but says in his opinion the present bounty should be abolished in order that they may survive to the extent that ordinary conditions of wild life in the region would dictate.

Should Not Be Exterminated.

The bald eagle, he points out, is a typical product of the natural life of this country and has been adopted as the American national bird. From this viewpoint, he says, it should not be allowed to be exterminated.

The caribou of Alaska is threatened with the same fate as the American bison or buffalo, in the opinion of Mr. Osborne. He says the giant deer are plentiful now and are protected by a closed season, but that during the hunting season, he was informed by natives, great numbers of them are slaughtered, sometimes wantonly, and the protective law is enforced with great difficulty in many instances.

Alaskan natives take the same attitude toward the caribou as was formerly taken toward the buffalo—namely, that there are so many of them that they will never be extinct. Nevertheless, he says, the time will come, if present conditions continue, when the caribou may fill the same role the buffalo fills today—that of a member of a few small herds preserved with great difficulty as zoological curiosities.

Part of Mr. Osborne's work was to survey conditions relating to forest fires. He saw many devastated regions, particularly in the eastern part of the state of Washington. California has also suffered greatly from this devastation, though Mr. Osborne did not visit that state. Coming east, he said, while crossing Montana, the smoke from forest fires penetrated the train to such an extent that passengers were discomfited by it.

Tourists Cause the Fires.

Forest fires in these regions, he said he learned, are caused mostly by tourists from the East, who go into the regions without the slightest knowledge of woodmanship and do not know the damage they are causing, in the first place, nor would they know how to prevent it if they did.

In Seattle, Wash., while trying to get photographs of four young bears which had been captured, Mr. Osborne was attacked by them and severely bitten and scratched. He says the bears were not angry, but were practicing their ideas of playfulness on him. They came at him from both sides and wrapped their limbs about him, scratching and clawing at his body and shoulders and biting his legs. They were finally pried loose by men who came up, but their victim bore the signs of their attentions for weeks and will carry them permanently in the way of scars.

With several companions, Mr. Osborne climbed the Denver Glacier, situated ten miles from Skagway on an abandoned gold rush trail. The party did not use the usual "creepers." On the way down the party had a narrow escape from falling into a crevasse. A report of the observations of the trip will be made to Doctor Hornaday.

Deer Seen Carrying Young in Its Mouth

Saranac Lake, N. Y.—Edward Spain, Adirondack guide in the Beaver river section, asserts that deer as well as bear will take up their young in their mouths, when they believe the little ones are threatened.

The guide recently came upon a doe with two fawns but a few hours old. One fawn was weak and could not walk. Evidently in great fear that the guide would harm the helpless fawn, the anxious mother picked up the weakling by holding the loose skin of its back in her teeth and hastened into a swamp, the other fawn trotting by her side.

CHAMPION DANCER

Campbell S. Griggs, twelve years old, of Flint, Mich., has earned more medals than any other youngster his age. He is the champion of the world in the dancing field, having won more than 180 medals and several cups in exhibitions against the leading dancers of Scotland and Ireland, as well as competitors from all over the United States.

Preacher Has Big Charge

Eugene, Ore.—Rev. William Biard has a charge that covers one-third of the state of Oregon. Of one part of his rounds through the eastern end of the state, he remarked:

"Sixty-five miles without seeing a ranch house or a dog to bark at me."

In this district there are 20,000 square miles given to cattle ranges. Doctor Biard works under the synod of the Presbyterian church.

Woman Finds Gems 3,000 Years Old

Taken From Skeletons Discovered in New Mexico.

New York.—There are few real pick-ax archeologists among women, but Mrs. Earl Morris has dug for prehistoric remains with her own small hands and has ridden alone into dark, unexplored canyons, seeking signs of remote occupation. With her husband, who is an archeological explorer for the American Museum of Natural History, she recently returned from New Mexico to New York, bringing trophies which students of America's ancient history will admire when they are placed upon exhibition.

"They were really my find, weren't they, Earl?" Mrs. Morris demands, pointing to two fine turquoise pendants which are one of the expedition's proudest and most significant discoveries. Mrs. Morris' specialty, however, is basket maker sandals, and to the study of these she is now giving most of her time, says the Kansas City Star.

The museum's excavations at the Aztec ruin, New Mexico, are being conducted chiefly with a view to obtaining light upon the three periods called, respectively, the basket makers, the post basket makers and the pre-Pueblo.

Although the basket makers, who flourished 4,000 or more years ago, and antedated the cliff dwellers by several thousand years, had not learned to fashion pottery, yet they displayed fine craftsmanship in the manufacture of baskets and sandals woven of yucca fiber and ornamented with intricate and beautiful designs whose colors have survived the centuries.

It was one hot day last November, when all were digging in dust masks, that her spade opened the site which was to yield those turquoise pendants. The expedition was feeling rather discouraged. They had found no valuable skulls. And archeologists are not happy unless they find skulls. Finger-bones don't "get them much forrarder."

"I'm going to try once more," declared Mrs. Morris, and taking her shovel she went down the slope to a spot which the other scientific diggers had abandoned. Soon the earth crumbled. Thrusting in her hand she touched bones. "And you cannot imagine the thrill of discovering that there were not one but three skulls!" She had come upon a prehistoric cemetery, but a great fire at some period had destroyed baskets and textiles, leaving only bones. The Canyon del Muerto, where this exciting event took place, is a hundred miles from a railroad, in the northeastern corner of New Mexico.

Turquoise 3,000 Years Old.

Under the devastated cemetery lay two skeletons, upon their breasts the turquoise' ornaments. These are the earliest examples of turquoise mosaic that have been found in our Southwest, and are at least 3,000 years old. They were the burial adornments of an old woman and a young man of the basket maker people, and are made of bits of turquoise and abalone set in wood.

"You can see from remains which that dry climate has almost mummified that the basket ladies wore bobbed hair," Mrs. Morris points out.

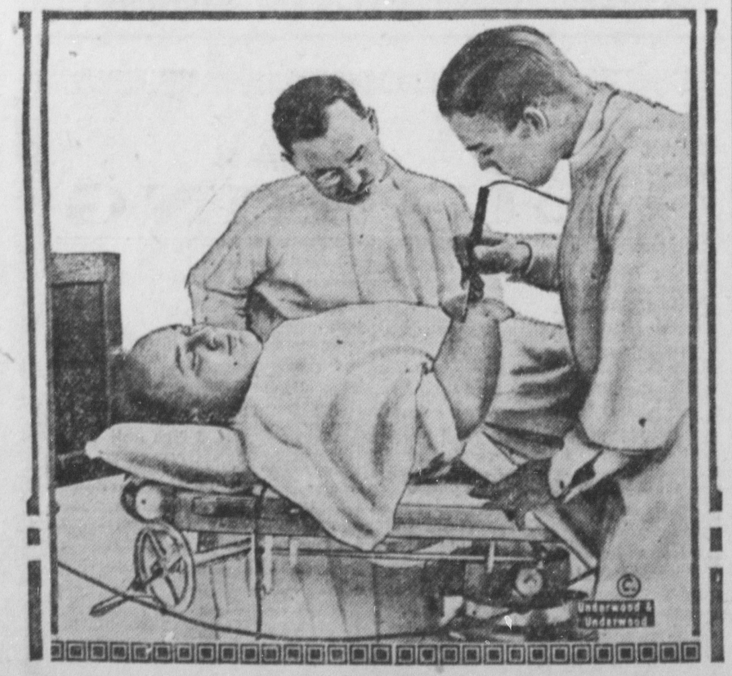
Between her archeological excavations she explored many dark side canyons leading off from the main canyon, and in some of these, ancient paintings were still quite fresh upon the walls.

Mrs. Morris was instructed at the American School for Prehistoric Study in Paris. The students every summer continue investigations at the La Quina station in southern France, where fossils from 50,000 to 100,000 years old are frequently unearthed.

"Some of those caves in the Pyrenees are two miles long. They open into the hillside and slope down into darkness. The walls are covered with beautiful paintings and carvings. You have to wriggle for long distances on your stomach to explore those caverns, but we thought nothing of that," said Mrs. Morris, who was therefore not dismayed by the caves of Dead Man's canyon.

Of 113 burglary defendants in England and Wales in 1922, 105 were convicted.

Surgeons Now Use Radio Knife



One of the internes of the Alexian Brothers' hospital in Chicago using the "radio knife," the latest invention of Dr. Louis E. Schmidt. In the simplest of language, as explained by a representative of the laboratory that perfected the new device, a low power radio transmitting set is used to generate the current. The "knife" forms one terminal. The other is applied to the patient. The human tissue offers resistance to the passage of the current when the "knife" is applied. The resistance causes heat. The "knife" burns itself through skin, fat and muscle as quickly as though one were cutting soft butter. The inventor operated on two men with cancer of the bladder and the blood might have been caught in a few tablespoons.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

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Defective Vision Said to Be on Increase

The increase of blindness and lesser eye troubles has become so alarming in the last decade that experts who have been collecting data on the subject do not hesitate to declare that the nation is confronted with a menace of great magnitude.

It is estimated by the eyesight conservation council that defective vision afflicts 25,000,000 of the 41,000,000 persons in gainful occupations.

During the war eye troubles ranked third as a cause rendering young men unfit for military service; about 11 per cent of the young men had defective vision, and it is estimated that this ratio of serious eye defects prevails among the children in both city and rural schools.

In its investigation of waste in American industry the committee of the Federated American Engineering societies discovered that in some factories nearly as many as half the men had serious eye troubles.—World's Work.

Old English Residence

Probably the oldest inhabited house in England is Laddesdown court, Kent. The late Sir W. St. John Hope said that it dated from "1120 or perhaps earlier."

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The way to tell a bandit from a dry agent is that the bandit doesn't always shoot when you run.

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Mrs J. S. McCargar is spending the latter half of the month of September with Mrs. Marcellus Sankey at Middleburg.

Attorney M. Ward Fleming, of Philipsburg, was a Bellefonte visitor during the week, transacting business before the Courts.

Warren Cobb departed last Friday morning for Philadelphia, where he will enter as a student at the Wharton school of the U. of P.

Mrs. Ida Cartwright, of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived in Bellefonte on Friday, and will spend a few days at the home of her niece, Mrs. B. J. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hughes departed on Monday for Mount Clemens, Mich., where the latter will enter a sanatorium for treatment for neuritis.

Mrs. Lew Bullock returned to California last week, after visiting for some time at the home of her daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Wilson P. Ard.

Edward Grauer, of Philadelphia, arrived in Bellefonte last Thursday evening and spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grauer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison Walker returned on Saturday from Boston, Mass., where they attended the National Conclave of Thirty-Third Degree Masons last week.

John W. Montgomery returned to the Pacific coast last Thursday, having been in Bellefonte since the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. Joseph L. Montgomery.

Don't neglect that cough. Wenck's Glycerole of Tar and Wild Cherry will give relief, without harmful dope or alcohol. 25 and 50 cents, all Druggists and Dealers

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson departed last Saturday for Waynesburg, where they will spend several weeks at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Underwood, of Woodbury, N. J., motored to Bellefonte last Friday and spent a few days at the home of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Underwood.

Prof. Clarence Smeltzer returned to his duties as instructor at Columbia University last week, after spending the summer vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Smeltzer.

Misses Margaret and Jane Miller are visiting relatives in Osceola Mills this week and from there will go to Philipsburg, Sandy Ridge and Ramey, expecting to be away from Bellefonte for an indennite time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rearick arrived in Bellefonte last week for a visit among Centre County relatives. While here they are guests at the home of Mr. Rearick's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Hunter.

A. L. Dunklebarger purchased a plot of ground from the McCoy estate last week along the newly built section of North Water St. He plans to erect a new pasteurizing milk station on the ground in the near future.

Mrs. Edith Friedman, accompanied by her younger daughter, departed on Friday morning for her home in New York City. Mrs. Friedman spent the greater part of the summer in Bellefonte at the home of her mother, Mrs. Herman Holtz.

Mrs. D. I. Willard departed on Saturday for Newark, N. J., where she will visit at the home of her son, Roger. At the completion of her visit there she will go to Lakewood, N. J., to pay her respects to her newest grand-son, Harold Louis Ludwig, Jr., born Aug. 10.

Mrs. Amy Potter, accompanied by her son James, went to Dormont last Saturday to superintend the unpacking of her furniture which was shipped to Bellefonte on Friday by motor truck. She will also place her son James in school at that place before returning to Bellefonte for a short time to rent or sell her home on Spring St. She will then rejoin her sons at Dormont, where she will make her home in the future.

Miss Myra Humes and Miss Sarah Caldwell departed for Bedford on Saturday and from there will go to Atlantic City, not intending to return until the middle of October. At the latter place they will be joined by Mrs. Charles Gilmour, who will spend a week at the shore, before going to Philadelphia for a visit with her daughter, Miss Margaret. Following Mrs. Gilmour's visit, Miss Humes and Miss Caldwell will be joined by Mrs. Nora Thompson, of Martha Furnace.

Mrs. Charles Larimer departed the forepart of the week for New Brunswick, N. J., and will spend a month there, in Pottsville and in Philadelphia. While in New Brunswick she will visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ross Parker, who will be a hospital patient during Mrs. Larimer's stay. The Larimer home on High St. will be closed during Mrs. Larimer's absence, Elizabeth having planned to spend the time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Schofield, while Mr. Larimer and the younger daughter, Marietta, will be guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Larimer, at Rockview.

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William Peters, of Philipsburg, has been attending Court this week.

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Robert D. Musser, of Spring Mills, has been in town during the week, attending Court and otherwise mixing business with pleasure.

Mr. Dave Kirk of Rockton, Clearfield County, and George Kirk of DuBois, spent the week-end as the guest of their cousin, Dr. M. A. Kirk.

Miss Grace Mitchell returned to Princeton, N. J., on Tuesday to resume her duties as an instructor at Miss Fine's school at that place.

Mrs. Rae Prince, who had been visiting in Bellefonte for some time with her daughters, Mrs. Thomas Beaver and Mrs. Amy Potter, returned on Tuesday to her home in Pittsburgh.

D. O. Dorman, of Nittany, one of the efficient crew of men who keep the Nittany Valley state highway in repair, is attending Court this week. He is an important witness in the Musser murder case.

The cigar store of Joseph Thal which has stood on High St. for upwards of 40 years, was moved back about 30 feet this week to make room for a new modern stucco structure which he will erect immediately.

The monthly Missionary Tea of the ladies of the Reformed Church will be held at the Reformed parsonage, Wednesday afternoon, October 1st. at 2 30. Mrs. Schmidt requests a full attendance of all the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lyons, of Elkhorn, W. Va., are visiting relatives in Bellefonte this week. Upon the completion of their visit here they will go to Mt. Carmel, where another week will be spent visiting relatives.

Mrs. Christine Benson accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Basil Mott, and little grandson, returned to her home in New York City on Tuesday. Mrs. Mott will remain in New York as a guest of her mother for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Irwin, Mrs. Paul Irwin and Mrs. Kepel, all of Canton, O., O., comprised a motor party who spent the weekend at the home of J. L. Musser. Mrs. Paul Irwin will be remembered in Bellefonte as Miss Alice Barnhart.

On Sunday a number of young people including Prof. Treister, Harold Spiker, Grover Spearly, Madaline Stover, Raymond Brooks and Irene Stover, all of Coleville, motored to Tyrone and enjoyed a delicious chicken dinner at the home of the Misses Ruth Shellenbarger and Ruth Eckert.

James Uzzle, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Uzzle, of Snow Shoe, and Howard Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Chambers, of Clarence, departed on Monday for Lancaster to resume their studies at Franklin & Marshall academy. Today Miss Marie Chambers, Miss Margaret Uzzle and Miss Jane Harris, the latter a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Harris, of Snow Shoe, departed for Chambersburg, where they are students at Penn Hall school for girls.

Captain Russel T. George, regular army instructor attached to the National Guard troops at Bellefonte, spent a few days here this week before going to Wisconsin, where he will finish the last month of his furlough at the home of Mrs. George's parents. The captain, accompanied by his wife and baby, had motored to Massachussetts to the home of the former's parents and on their return to Bellefonte the car was stored and the trip to Wisconsin made by train.

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends who attended the Frank E. Naginey funeral last Wednesday were: Mrs. Esther Bell, Mrs. Jennie Fayhe and William Naginey, all of Milroy; Mrs. George Brandon, her daughter and son, Miss Winifred Brandon and Robert Patterson, of Scranton, and the following members of the State Funeral Directors Asso., of which the late Mr. Naginey was treasurer for many years: Herbert W. Lourie, president, Pittsburgh; Elmer Shelley, Lansdale; W. L. Dowler, Braddock; William Rideby, Media; M. A. Stevens, Altoona; Harry Weber, Philipsburg; Fred H. Keller, Philadelphia; Fred B. Leavy, Clearfield; J. O. Goleman, Hughesville; Charles Lauer, Lock Haven; C. M. Zellers, Montgomery; William Gritner, Turbotville, and J. C. Noll, Williamsport.

Occasionally Centre County farmers rather welcome the opportunity to serve in Court as jurors. At other times they are too busy and conditions at home do not always make it convenient for them to be away. We have in mind the case of William Furst, of Stormstown. "Billy" is a good citizen and always ready to do his duty. He is serving as a juror this week under conditions that would ordinarily have effected his being excused, but with a small panel and important cases to be tried every juror is needed. "Billy" has 20 or 30 head of cattle to be milked and otherwise cared for, his wife is ill, and labor scarce on the farm, as usual. Calling in extra help for the emergency would only partially solve matters, so far as milking the cows is concerned, for several of the herd while good milkers are equally efficient as kickers. However, "Billy" is taking things philosophically, remarking that Christmas will roll around on schedule time.

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Former Sheriff Arthur E. Lee, of Spring Mills, is among those in attendance upon Court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Reynolds and son, Samuel H. Jr., of Lancaster, are guests of Col. and Mrs. W. F. Reynolds.

The "Susanna Wesley Society" of the Milesburg Methodist church will hold their annual Fair and Food Sale Nov. 21—22.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barraclough departed this week for Philadelphia, where the latter will enter a hospital for medical treatment.

Teachers contemplating attending County Institute in Bellefonte are requested to make reservations early at Hotel Brockerhoff. 38-3t

Ivar Hansen arrived in Bellefonte on Tuesday for a two weeks' visit at the home of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hansen, before going to Norway for the winter.

The Misses Ann McCormick and May Cameron motored to Bellefonte from Harrisburg on Tuesday and were guests over night at the home of Miss Mary and Henry Linn. They were accompanied to Lemont by Miss Maude Snowden, who will be a guest at the John Mitchell home at that place for some time.

Thomas Jodon, of Pleasant Gap, was struck and knocked down on Wednesday afternoon by a Ford delivery car, owned by the City Cash Grocery, and driven by Robert McMullin. The accident occurred on High street and Mr. Jodon was carried to Dr. Locke's office, where he was found to be suffering from shock and a severely bruised leg.

Roy Chambers, of Clarence, who was so seriously injured in a mine cave-in several months ago that it was feared for a time he could not recover, was able to leave the hospital yesterday and return home. He will be required to wear a cast on his injured leg for some time longer. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Chambers, are more than grateful to Supt. Eckert and the hospital nurses for the splendid care given their son while he was a patient there.

B. H. S. FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Red and White Eleven Has Number of Hard Games Listed.

The Bellefonte High School football schedule for the 1924 season has been announced as follows: Saturday, Oct. 4, Central State Normal, at Bellefonte; Oct. 11, Millheim H. S., at Bellefonte, 10:30 A. M.; Oct. 18, Altoona Catholic High, at Bellefonte; Oct. 24, Central State Normal, at Lock Haven; Nov. 1, Milton High, at Bellefonte; Nov. 11, Huntingdon High, at Bellefonte; Nov. 15, Philipsburg High, at Philipsburg; Nov. 22, Mt. Union High, at Mt. Union; Nov. 27, Juniata High, at Bellefonte.

All of the home games will be played on Hughes Field and will start at 2 P. M., with the exception of the Millheim game which starts at 10:30 A. M. Coach Jay M. Riden and Captain "Dutch" Waite say that a better team has never worn the "Red and White" and the prospects for a highly successful season are exceedingly bright.

Battle at Dance.

A square dance at Boalsburg on Sept. 15, was the scene of a battle royal which resulted in two suits being entered before 'Squire Keichline for aggravated assault and battery. It seems that William Dunkle was the official caller of the turns and that Roy Brobeck, one of the dancers, called to Dunkle that he could not hear him. Dunkle paid no attention and Brobeck then called to him again, whereupon the former climbed down from his pedestal and administered a sound trouncing to Brobeck, who brought the suit mentioned above. Dunkle then brought counter suit, alleging that Brobeck swung at him and missed before he struck the first blow. At the hearing on last Thursday afternoon the Justice placed the costs of both suits on Dunkle. Both young men are residents of State College.

Academy Notes.

The opening game on the Academy's hard football schedule will be played on Hughes Field Saturday afternoon, Sept. 27th, at 2:30 o'clock. The Dickinson College Freshmen will oppose the Academy on that date. The annual opening reception was held at the Academy last Saturday evening. It assumed the nature of a double reception to the many new students enrolled and to the students of the Princeton Geological expedition who spent the last week in geological research in Centre County.

American Legion Meets.

A highly successful meeting of the American Legion was held on Monday evening. The building committee, which has under consideration several sites for the proposed home, made its report and stated that no definite action has yet been taken. Plans were discussed for putting on a minstrel show sometime in December. An affluent member provided his colleagues with some wonderful eats which were highly appreciated. Don't forget the picture "Powder River," coming soon.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

39th Annual Meeting of Association at Howard.

The 39th annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Centre County, was held at the Christian chapel at Howard on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The convention opened on Wednesday morning with a meeting of the executive board. The afternoon session was given over largely to the appointment of committees, an address by the president, and reading of the minutes. In the evening, the playlet, "A Lark at Monotock Hall," was presented by the members of the Centre Hall Y. P. B., under the direction of Mrs. F. W. Goodhart.

Thursday morning was occupied with the reports of superintendents and the reading of minutes. Thursday afternoon reports of the various committees were read and the election of officers held. All of the old officers were re-elected. They are: Miss Rebecca Rhoads, Bellefonte, president; Mrs. Frank Fisher, Centre Hall, vice president; Mrs. Nannie Williams, Fleming, corresponding secretayr; Mrs. V. C. Ridge, Blanchard, recording secretary; Mrs. Charles Garbrick, Bellefonte, Y. P. B. secretary; Mrs. Frank Knowles, treasurer. Superintendents: Mrs. R. O. Steely, Bellefonte; Mrs. Frank Gardner, State College; Mrs. Mary Buck, Fleming; Mrs. Robert M. Beach, Bellefonte; Mrs. Nettie Earhart, Philipsburg; Mrs. Anna Stover, Aaronsburg; Mrs. W. A. Broyles, State College; Mrs. S. W. Smith, Centre Hall; Mrs. Catherine Phillips, Aaronsburg, and Mrs. Fred Henry, Philipsburg. Mrs. Lillian Mitchener, president of the Kansas W. C. T. U., was the convention guest and principal speaker.

ORVISTON MAN KILLED

Carson H. Dauberman Met Instant Death Under Freight Train.

An unknown man, supposed to be Carson H. Dauberman, of Orviston, was killed near Hyner last Friday by being run over by a freight train. The body, with the head crushed and the face cut away, was found along the P. R. R. tracks. It is supposed he had been riding on a freight train and was either jolted off or fell from the train.

The man was about 25 years old, and wore a brown suit and blue shirt. A memorandum book was found in one of his pockets, containing the name, Carson H. Dauberman, of Orviston, Pa. A man of that name had been employed at the Hayes Run Fire Brick plant at that place for some time past, and boarded at the home of Harry Jodon. He left there about a week ago.

Boy Jailed for Robbery.

George Stewart, 14-years-old Philipsburg boy, was lodged in the county jail last week, after he had pleaded guilty to the charge of breaking into Hagerty Baking Company's place of business. The Stewart lad figured in the courts once before when he testified against his stepfather and the latter's father, Goldman, who were arrested on a charge of using the mails to defraud. The boy said the father had compelled him to write the letters. The men were tried in the Federal court in Pittsburgh, but discharged on account of insufficient evidence. 'Squire Byron, of Philipsburg, reprimanded the other boys connected with the affair and discharged them. The boy's parents are dead and he was placed in a farm home in Clearfield at the time of his stepfather's arrest. He ran away from there some time ago.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Pyles will speak at 10 45 and the Rev. Dr. Noah E. Yeiser Supt. of the Anti-Saloon League, will speak at 7 30. Sunday School 9.30; Epworth League 6.30, leader Mrs. S. G. Tressler. Tuesday night class; Wednesday night prayer service. Saturday afternoon at 2 and 7 the group quarterly conference will be held at Pleasant Gap. All the officials should be present. E. E. McKelvey.

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